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CAR STRIKE IS SETTLED

Philadelphia Conductors and
Motormen Get Some
Concessions

**STRIKE BREAKERS
SENT BACK HOME**

Several Small Riots Indulged
in by Street Mobs Last
Evening

Philadelphia, June 4.—The strike has been settled. The men will receive 22 cents an hour beginning tomorrow, and ten hours will constitute a day's work. This statement was made by C. O. Pratt, chairman of the executive committee of the association of street railway employees, following the deportation of the 450 strike breakers who came here from New York.

Notwithstanding that the strike, to all intents and purposes, was practically settled before six o'clock this evening, no effort was made to run cars after dusk. The saloons, too, were closed at six o'clock.

There were several incipient riots in the north-eastern section of the city early in the evening, but the crowds were driven to shelter by a heavy rain before much damage was done.

There was a small riot at Twelfth and York streets, where a mob of several hundred persons took up a position along the elevated tracks of the Reading railroad, and pelted a passing car with bricks. A score of policemen drew their revolvers and fired several shots in the air. The crowd then withdrew.

The present strike has been the most complete tie-up ever experienced by the local trolley company, and the temper of the people was more violent than in the strike of 1895.

The settlement was brought about by the Republican leaders of the city, whose plans for tomorrow's primaries elections have been interfered with by the spirit of turbulence that spread over the city in the last three days. After a conference in the city hall, which lasted until three o'clock this morning, the mayor made public a letter addressed to John B. Parsons, president of the Rapid Transit company, in which he offered terms for a settlement.

DOMINION COPPER

Bid of Representative of New York
Syndicate for Company's Prop-
erties Is Accepted

Vancouver, June 4.—The properties of the Dominion Copper company at Phoenix and Boundary Falls were finally disposed of today to a New York syndicate for \$261,500.

Moses Weinman, of the legal firm of Guggenheimer, Untermyer & Marshall, of New York city, represented the purchasers, who have formed a company under the name of the Reorganization Committee of Bondholders, of which Charles Hayden, a prominent New York banker, is chairman.

The Hayden company holds \$645,000 worth of the \$800,000 of bonds issued by the Dominion Copper company and Mr. Hayden proposes forming a new company, called the New Dominion Copper company, which will commence operating the mines taken over as soon as the necessary financial arrangements are made. Mr. Weinman stated this morning that \$500,000 had already been raised by the New York company for the purpose of re-opening the mines at Phoenix camp, Deadwood camp and Wellington camp and the smelter at Boundary Falls.

Before the bidding commenced at the board of trade rooms this morning, Thomas Shirley, the auctioneer in charge of the sale, stated that the reserve bid for lot A would be \$250,000 and for lot B \$150,000.

Lot A comprises the plants of the Rawhide, Brooklyn, Stewind, Idaho and Mountain Rose mines; the stores of the Sunset mine; the smelter inventory and the smelter buildings, real estate, and equipment.

Lot B comprises the supplies of the Phoenix mines.

Mr. Weinman, who appeared for Mr. Hayden, was the only bidder. He bid \$251,000 for lot A, and \$10,500 for lot B.

"The Hayden company is going to spare no pains to make the working of the properties a success," said Mr. Weinman. "It is already raised \$500,000, and expects to commence operations very shortly."

This committee of bondholders, of which Mr. Hayden is the president, is composed of wealthy New Yorkers. Present at the sale were D. G. Robertson, who appeared for another New York syndicate; J. E. McAllister, manager for the British Columbia Copper company; J. H. Senkler, representing the National Trust company, and Messrs. Robertson and Whiteside, who represented the official liquidator.

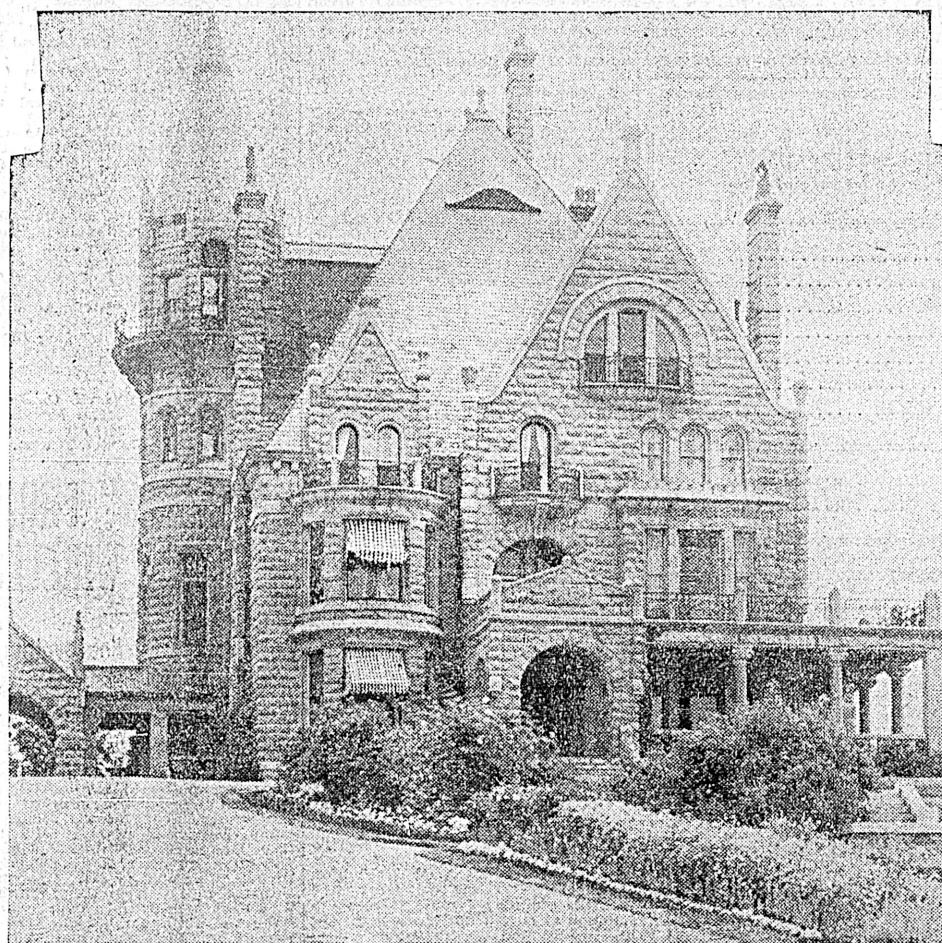
Corsicans Short of Food

Bastia, Corsica, June 4.—The population of the island of Corsica is in dire straits for the necessities of life by reason of the strike of Marseilles sailors, which has been the means of cutting off their main source of obtaining supplies from the outside. In addition the strike of the railroad men has now been going on for a month.

Wireless Telephone

Toulon, June 4.—Trials of the wireless telephone system, invented by Lieutenants Jeane and Collin, were made today between the armored cruiser Conde, which was at sea, and the stations on shore. The results are said to have been gratifying. The conversation was carried on at a distance of 110 kilometers.

Famous Victoria Landmark Changed Hands Yesterday



"CRAIGDARROCH"

"Craigdarroch" Sold to Mr. Griffith R. Hughes—His Intention is to Sub-Divide the Property

Craigdarroch, the home of the late Hon. Robert and Mrs. Dunsinuir, was sold yesterday to Griffith R. Hughes, chartered accountant, of this city. The consideration was well up in the hundreds of thousands. Plans for a subdivision have been prepared and are already authorized by the city council. It is the intention of Mr. Hughes to place the subdivision upon the market at an early date.

The property, which fronts on Fort street and Rockland avenue, consists of twenty-seven and three-quarter acres including the residence. The house alone with the making of the grounds cost something over \$300,000. The estate lies in the heart of the best residential portion of the city and commands an unrivalled view of the straits, the Olympics, Mount Baker, the city of Victoria and the tributary districts. From its striking appearance and style of architecture, it is popularly known as Dunsinuir Castle. The grounds are magnificently laid

out and from the beauty of the site, the lots should range fairly high in price. There is a large number of intending purchasers who have already requested that they be given an opportunity to make selections before the property goes on the market. In all the plans for the subdivision include 144 lots, and a plot of two acres which will go with the house. Thirty lots, the house itself and the two acres will not be put on the market at present.

Craigdarroch, the residence, is built of Haddington Island stone, the balconies supported by pillars of red Scotch granite. In mid-Victoria style, the stone mellowed by the time which has elapsed since its construction, it presents a very fine appearance. The interior is finished in hardwood throughout and contains thirty rooms including bathroom and billiard room. It was erected twenty years ago, being completed about the time of the death of the late Hon. Robert Dunsinuir.

With main roadways 66 feet in width as provided in the plan of subdivision winding through the estate, the placing of the property on the market will be hailed with pleasure by prospective home-builders.

HEAVY TRADE IS LOOKED FOR

Drought in Mexico Expected to
Cause Demand for Al-
berta Wheat

Vancouver, June 4.—The Canadian wheat export trade has just been advised that severe drought conditions exist in Mexico, with the result that there is every probability of a large export of wheat to that country through the port of Vancouver during the fall. This wheat will be Alberta red winter, and it may be expected to start moving shortly after the harvest, provided the Mexican government reduces the duty, as it did last season.

According to the estimate made by the transportation companies who have been recently in touch with both the Mexican market and the Canadian export trade, between 20,000 and 30,000 tons of wheat will be shipped to Mexico if the import duty of that country is reduced.

It is reported today that largely because of the expectation of a good grain carrying trade between Vancouver and Mexico the Canadian Mexican Steamship company, operating the steamers Lonsdale and Georgia, is negotiating for two large steamers, which will be better suited to trade which has been developed by the pioneer vessels of the route.

Insurance Agents Indicted.

Rochester, N.Y., June 4.—The grand jury this morning reported six sealed indictments against fire insurance men, all local agents, owing to the action of

ALL IN READINESS FOR MEET OPENING

The race meet opens today at the Willows track at 2:30 o'clock. All arrangements are complete and indications point to a record crowd. The street railway company is in readiness to handle the traffic and at the track everyone for the past week has been on tiptoe waiting for the barrier to drop and the meet to be fairly launched. Full particulars will be found on page 10 of this issue.

the state board of fire insurance underwriters in raising rates in this city, by putting what is called "pink slip" notices on insurance policies, due to the many incendiary fires in this city. The jury scored the insurance companies in a long resolution. This says that many cases of incendiary fires are due to property owners desiring money under policies which are granted without any previous investigation of household or personal property of the person desiring the insurance. The companies themselves are to blame for the "waves of incendiary fires," the report adds. Those indicted are: James Johnson, R. S. Payler, H. M. Webb, J. P. Clements, Gilbert Amaden, and M. E. Wolff. The indictment alleges conspiracy.

Death of Clayton E. Sweet
Newburgh, N. Y., June 4.—Clayton E. Sweet, head of the corporation of Sweet, Orr & Co., with factories at Newburgh, Wappinger Falls, Joliet, New Orleans, New York City and Port Jervis, died this morning of pneumonia. His wife died May 10 of the same disease.

DEMONSTRATE EMPIRE UNITY

Suggestion That Opposition
Leaders Go to London
With Ministers

London, June 4.—It is proposed in New Zealand to demonstrate the national attitude in support of the Empire in the face of foreign naval menace by sending the Leader of the Opposition, as well as Premier Ward, to the Imperial naval conference in July. Seeing that the Canadian attitude, as expressed by unanimous resolution in the Commons, is also national and entirely removed from party politics, it is suggested that Canada do likewise by Sir Wilfrid Laurier inviting R. L. Borden to accompany the ministers. It is felt that this would be a most effective demonstration to Germany and other nations that the Empire means unitedly to hold its own, and also to remind party men here that the security of the Empire is a question for common agreement, not political wrangling.

Importance of Conference
Wellington, N. Z., June 4.—In addressing the students of Canterbury college today Lord Plunket, governor of New Zealand, said he believed that the conference to be held in London to discuss the question of Imperial defense will prove to be the most valuable colonial conference ever held, if the true spirit of unity and real readiness for self-sacrifice existed in the Empire today, as he believed it did.

TRAFFIC TIED UP BY FLOODS

Nelson Isolated for Two Days
by Breaks in All Lines of
Railway

**STREAMS TURNED
TO RAGING TORRENTS**

Five Lives Known to Have
Been Lost in Vicinity
of Fernie

Nelson, June 4.—Nelson has been practically shut off from the rest of the world for the past two days, so far as passenger and freight traffic are concerned, owing to the damage caused by floods. Reports from north, south and east show the C.P.R. in trouble at Revelstoke and west, and in the Crow's Nest Pass, while the Great Northern line to the south remains blocked. Except the strictly local boat traffic and the line into the Boundary, nothing has come in or gone out since Wednesday. The line between this city and Procter is washed out at several points where the mountain creeks, now raging torrents, cross the track. It will not, however, take long to make temporary repairs so as to open the line again.

The most serious damage is on the line to Slocan City, where some 200 feet of track and earth are washed out at Lemon Creek, and about 150 feet at Patrick Lumber company's dam. In each of these cases all the earth has gone down the river, leaving nothing but the sheer side of the mountain, which makes re-construction a most difficult task, and one that will take considerable time, probably weeks. So far the Patrick company's dam, which went out last spring, is holding out, and only a few logs have gone down.

The chief damage on the Great Northern line is at the Salmon river, near Ymir, where a lot of new piling is necessary to replace that swept away. It is not likely that the line will be open until Monday night, if then, and meanwhile mail and supplies are piling up at Marcus.

So far there has been no great inconvenience experienced here, but if the blockade continues the situation will become serious. There have been heavy rains this afternoon and evening to the east and south, and further damage is reported late tonight.

Many of the local ranchers through whose property creeks run, have suffered serious loss, as the mountain streams have swept away acres of ground and many hundreds of young trees. There has been no loss of life up to midnight, and the lake, while rising rapidly, causes no anxiety at present. The trouble there, if there is any, will come later. In almost every instance the damage has been caused by the mountain streams breaking through their banks and clearing the country before them and by the sudden rise of the larger streams, like the Slocan, Salmon and the Elk rivers. The Lardo and the Rosebery and Nakusp branches of the C.P.R. are out of commission, many sections of the line having been washed out or submerged.

Last night and tonight were cool, and unless heavy rains and very warm days and nights come along there should be no further serious damage.

Five Drowned

Fernie, June 4.—Elk river is still on the rampage. Small shacks, lumber, trees and bridges are being washed away in and around here. The Elk Lumber company and the Fernie Lumber company lost much timber as a result. The railway bridge near Elk had two spans damaged and the trains could not cross. Passengers were transferred, but the damage has been since repaired and trains run through. Residents on the river flats have lost a large amount of cattle, garden stuffs and buildings. The major portion of West Fernie is inundated, and families are moving out daily. Female annex is also suffering. A large boom of logs in the river above the city is expected to break away any moment. Three unknown bodies floated past here Tuesday. One body has since been recovered, but is not yet identified. Two men were drowned at Waldo while attempting to cross the river. Oldtimers report it as the highest flood for years. West Fernie schools are flooded out.

MORRIS MURDER CASE

Regina, June 4.—Interesting light was thrown on the circumstances surrounding the murder of Charles Morris at the trial today, when John Sheffron was on the stand. He told of buying a horse from Ernest Morris, the accused, for \$435. It was this horse deal which is supposed to have furnished a motive for the murder, Ernest Morris being alleged to have sold the animal belonging to his brother. Sheffron also deposed to having been awakened on the morning of the murder at 1:30 by the prisoner, who slept that night with him. Next morning they heard of the fire, and witness told the prisoner, who made no comment. They went together to the scene of the tragedy, and witness said it was impossible to recognize the body of the murdered man as that of Charles Morris. He also deposed to prisoners horse having one shoe off, as alleged by witness Kinkade.

Went Over Falls

Grandes Piles, Que., June 4.—F. Boisvert, P. Jucan and M. Desrosiers, employed by the Laurentide Paper company on the Mattawin river, were drowned by their boat going over the little Grande Mere falls.

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TO WIDEN ROAD IS TROUBLESOME

City Discovers Its Arrangement With Brewery Company Only One-sided

After the city council had come to the conclusion that the threatened tangle over the widening of the Esquimalt road opposite the Silver Spring Brewery company's premises had been amicably settled, the city solicitor in a communication to Alderman Turner, chairman of the streets, bridges and sewers committee, has reopened the matter and now it appears that the agreement sanctioned by the council is not at all to the liking of the brewery company.

The trouble all arose over the city's proposition to widen the Esquimalt road opposite the site of the old Fairall brewery which property has been acquired by the Silver Spring Brewing company. The idea was to widen the roadway to fifty feet. To do this it was necessary to take a portion of the property on which the brewing company had commenced operations on a new brewery. In return for the property which the city proposed to take to widen Esquimalt Road, it was decided to allow the company the use of thirty feet of Lime street, at the rear of the new building, and despite the objections of many property owners in the immediate vicinity the necessary bylaw was put through by which it was provided that the company should have the use of that part of Lime Street until such time as the city required it, when the city should have the right to resume possession, being only held responsible for the cost of moving back any buildings which the brewing company might erect thereon and such buildings were to be but temporary structures.

Company Objects

This arrangement was sanctioned by the council by bylaw, but it now appears, from a letter from the city solicitor read at last night's meeting of the streets, bridges and sewers committee, that the company, under the impression that in return for the property to be given for the widening of Esquimalt road, it should receive the portion of Lime street, but that in case the city at any time decided to take back the Lime street piece, the company should have the right to resume possession of the portion of Esquimalt road given for street widening purposes. The city solicitor stated in his communication that when the brewery company learned of the council's arrangement, strong objection was made by A. E. McPhillips, K.C., solicitor of the company, and that the company would refuse to sanction any such understanding. Consequently the city solicitor says that the city should go ahead with expropriation proceedings, which advice has been followed.

It is stated that the city had agreed to allow the company \$200 for the work already done on the foundation for the new building, but he claimed that there was no understanding with the company relative to the return of that portion of Esquimalt road in the event of the city later taking possession of the piece of Lime street given to the company.

May Be Damages

Alderman Henderson asked if the company would not have a good claim for damages for the time lost and the expense incurred in having plans prepared for the new building and the work done on the putting in of the foundation which will be disturbed if the city expropriates a portion of the company's lot to widen Esquimalt road. It was finally decided to go ahead with the expropriation proceedings, and Alderman Turner was deputed to take the matter up with the city barrister.

TWENTY-SIX CASES FOR FULL COURT

Summer Sitting Opens Here on Monday Next—List of Causes

The summer sitting of the full court meets on Monday at the court house. The first day will be taken up in settling the lists and reading judgments from the last court. The arguments on the first case will begin on Tuesday. A list of the cases as at present set down, the solicitors on the record and the names of the judges from whom the appeals are taken follows:

List No. One

1. Jolliffe (R) vs. Ash (A)—A. R. Crough for plaintiff, and W. E. Burns for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Morrison.
2. McLean (A) vs. Lou Gee Wing (R)—A. C. Brydne-Jack for plaintiff, and W. M. Griffin for defendant. Appeal from Judge Grant.
3. Barnes (R) vs. B. C. Copper Co. (A)—S. S. Taylor for plaintiff, and I. H. Hallett for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Irving.
4. Clarke (R) vs. Mueller (A)—D. G. Marshall for plaintiff, and D. G. Macdonell for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Clement.
5. Coughlan (A) vs. National Construction Co. (R)—R. L. Reid for plaintiff, and A. V. Innes for defendant. Appeal from Judge Grant.
6. Anglo-American Co. (A) vs. Tait (R)—W. E. Burns for plaintiff, and R. W. Harris for defendant. Appeal from Judge Grant.
7. Patterson (R) vs. C. P. L. Co. (A)—A. V. Innes for plaintiff, and W. M. Griffin for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Clement.
8. Lelonde (R) vs. Caravan (A)—A. B. Harper for plaintiff and A. H. McNeill for defendant. Appeal from Judge Grant.
9. McPhalen (R) vs. Vancouver (A)—A. V. Innes for plaintiff, and G. H. Cowan for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Morrison.
10. Re Howard—H. W. Boak for plaintiff, L. G. McPhillips contra. Appeal from Mr. Justice Martin.
11. Re Howard—Appeal by same party from same judge.
12. Allan (R) vs. Ray (A)—C. W. Craig for plaintiff, and A. E. Garrett for defendant. Appeal from Judge Grant.
13. T. Cooksley (A) vs. New Westminster (R)—W. J. Whiteside for

plaintiff, and W. G. Quaife for defendant. Appeal from Judge Howay.

14. Another appeal in a second case of same name.
15. Alexander (R) vs. Walters (A)—R. L. Reid for plaintiff, and F. R. McD. Russell for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Morrison.
16. Kendall (A) vs. Webster (R)—W. E. Burns for plaintiff, and V. Laurson for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Morrison.
17. McKenzie (A) vs. Chilliwaak (R)—C. W. Craig for plaintiff, and R. L. Reid for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Morrison.
18. Vancouver Ferry Co. (R) vs. Bunbury (A)—D. G. Marshall for plaintiff, and A. M. Harper for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Clement.
19. Jewell (R) vs. Law Society of B. C. (A)—J. G. L. Abbott for plaintiff, and O. C. Bass for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Morrison.
20. Zampbell (R) vs. Campbell (A)—J. G. L. Abbott for plaintiff, and C. M. Wood for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Clement.
21. Baker (R) vs. McKinnon (A)—C. W. Craig for plaintiff, and J. G. L. Abbott for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Morrison.
22. Perry (R) vs. McKinnon (A)—C. W. Craig for plaintiff, and J. G. L. Abbott for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Morrison.

List No. Three

23. Parsons (A) vs. Wootton (R)—J. H. Lawson, Jr., for plaintiff, and E. Wootton for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Irving.
24. Winter (R) vs. B. C. Electric Co. (A)—H. D. Helmcken for plaintiff, and A. E. McPhillips for defendant. Appeal from the chief justice.
25. Topping (R) vs. Marling (A)—F. Higgins for plaintiff, and H. B. Robertson for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Martin.
26. Victoria (A) vs. B. C. Electric Ry. Co. (R)—J. P. Mann for plaintiff, and A. E. McPhillips for defendant. Appeal from Mr. Justice Martin.

"DISEASES" FROM THE WIRELESS

European Medical Journal Claim That Hertzian Waves Are Harmful

The statements made in European medical journals to the effect that wireless waves are harmful to operators and have been the cause of many diseases is strongly refuted by E. J. Haughton, superintendent of the Dominion government stations in British Columbia. Mr. Haughton states that far from being harmful, they have a beneficial effect, by purifying the air and rendering the atmosphere breathing much more easy.

Mr. Haughton says that these statements must be false, as the operator does not come in contact with the waves which are transmitted from the top of the wireless mast. The flash from the transmitter, he says, is at times painful to the eyes, just as any other bright, uncovered flash of electricity would be.

The passage of the Hertzian waves through the air works on the same principle as a summer thunder storm, which is generally regarded as beneficial to mankind.

Mr. Haughton points out an interesting feature which is apparently due to the atmosphere of the wireless station at Gonzales Hill. A deaf man who is an occasional visitor there finds his malady considerably lessened after sitting in the operator's room for some minutes. He is able to hear an ordinary conversation, where on other occasions he has to be shouted to before he will respond.

According to M. P. Bell, a French naval surgeon on board the Descartes, which has been engaged in the campaign in Morocco, the members of the ship's company who were employed in wireless telegraph duty, developed various affections in consequence of the action of the Hertzian waves. Most commonly the telegraphists complained of their eyes and cases of slight conjunctivitis, keratitis and leukoma occurred.

In order to protect the eyes form damage by the ultra violet rays of the electric emanation, which have a very powerful action, it was recommended that yellow or orange glasses should be worn. Not only were the eyes of the operators affected, but two cases of eczema—one of the wrist and one of the eyelid, both very difficult to cure—were seen, probably due to the same cause.

Lastly, one of the officials who had been employed for several years in wireless telegraphy suffered from painful palpitation of the heart, which came on after working for any length of time at the instruments for sending messages. This man was quite free from any organic lesion of the heart. M. Bellie, says the Lancet, a British medical journal, is disposed to think that a good many cases of "nervousness" and neurasthenia, which seem now to be getting rather common among naval men, may be due to the work which is being done in wireless telegraphy.

FREED FROM MOLOKAI

People Who Were Supposed to Be Lepers Found to Be Clear of Disease

Honolulu, June 4.—After some of them had spent twenty years of their lives in the leper settlement on the island of Molokai, ten supposed lepers were declared to be free of the disease yesterday after examination.

Eleven persons will be brought to Honolulu for examination at the instance of a legislative committee. Two are boys of six and seven years, but the others vary in age from 27 to 79. Only one of the eleven re-examined was found to have leprosy, but some of the other freed patients will petition to be returned to the island of Molokai because they have been shut out from the world and their friends so long that they have nowhere else to go.

A few of the patients sent to settlements before the bacteriological test for leprosy was discovered and it is believed in some cases a natural cure has been effected. Nineteen other supposed lepers will be brought from the settlement for re-examination in a short time.

Smothered in Sawdust.

Toronto, June 4.—While playing in a bin of sawdust, two-year-old A. Knowles, of High street, was smothered to death.

Earl Grey Will See Fair.

Ottawa, June 4.—Earl Grey, on his return from England, will visit the Pacific Coast, including the Seattle Exposition. Hon. Sidney Fisher and Mr. Oliver will also visit the Exposition.

BROTHER TOLD BROTHER

One Suffered for Fifteen Years, the Other for Thirteen.

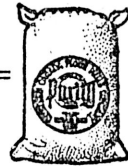
The convincing powers of a testimonial were never more easily shown than in the case of Mr. Hugh Brown. A brother, Lemuel Brown, of Avondale, N.B., read in the paper about Hon. John Costigan being cured by "Fruit-a-tives." Knowing the Senator would only endorse a medicine which had cured him, Mr. Lemuel Brown tried "Fruit-a-tives." They cured him of Chronic Indigestion and Constipation, so he urged his brother to try them.



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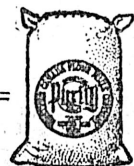
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Saturday, June 5, 1909.

A REMEDY NEEDED.

Yesterday a lady, born in England, but resident in Victoria for three months, wished to go to Seattle to meet her son. She was not permitted to go because she could not present the necessary papers at the steamer office. The law of the United States is that any person, other than a Canadian or Mexican, must obtain certain papers from the immigrant department and pay a head tax of \$4.00 before entering the country. If a person born in the United Kingdom has resided in Canada for a year, we understand that no head tax is demanded, nor are any papers necessary. Now let it be understood that the United States officer, who stands at the ticket window in Victoria, is as courteous as any man can be under circumstances which must be as disagreeable to him as to any one else. Chesterfieldian manners are not to be expected from a man who has to question several score of people in fifteen or twenty minutes. No one has any complaint to make against him. He keeps his temper remarkably well under exceedingly trying circumstances. The lady referred to acted as any lady ought to, and when the matter was explained to her tried to make the best of an awkward situation. Learning these facts, we looked into the matter a little, and were informed that it is not the United States government which requires the head tax to be paid here, but the arrangement is made by the steamship companies for their own convenience. They do not wish to carry passengers to Seattle and have to bring them back again, if they are not allowed to enter the country. It is also somewhat of a convenience to passengers, who are enabled under it to land at Seattle without being delayed. But it works a very great hardship in many cases, and it ought not to be difficult to improve upon it. The persons, who are eligible to enter either country without entrance papers or a head tax, might be permitted to enter upon presentation of a card from the purser of the steamer, which would relieve them of any trouble, and those who had to make out papers and pay a poll tax could do so on reaching their destination. The objection to this would be on the part of the steamship companies, which would have to impose the additional work on their officers, and might have occasionally to bring back a passenger who would not be allowed to land. Pending some such arrangement as this, care ought to be taken to let the law on the subject be known as widely as possible. The steamship companies might very easily include in their advertised timetables a statement of the law for the information of the public. At the Canadian Pacific town office intending passengers are advised of the necessity of making out their papers and paying the head tax, and so far as the officers are concerned, every effort is made to make the best of a bad arrangement. We think a remedy can be applied in the way above mentioned, and, if so, it should be applied without any delay.

WRONG VIEWS OF CANADA.

The Colonist yesterday had a despatch saying that Mr. R. L. Borden has written a letter to the Standard of Empire pointing out some absurd ideas expressed by Mr. Sydney George Fisher, an American, in a recent work entitled "The Struggle for American Independence." In the course of his treatise Mr. Fisher states that the control of the home government over Canada is far more absolute than it was over the Thirteen Colonies before the American Revolution. This statement Mr. Borden very vigorously combats. One of the most surprising things is the ignorance of even otherwise well-informed people in the United States about the affairs of other countries, and especially as to those of the great Dominion which adjoins their country on the north. They seem wholly unable to understand how any people can be in the enjoyment of free government unless they call themselves a republic. It is the name which counts with them more than anything else. The same ignorance prevails as to minor matters. The other day a Seattle man expressed his surprise that Mr. Dunsmuir should be Lieutenant-Governor of this province, seeing that he was born at Port Vancouver, which is now the State of Washington, for he assumed that in some mysterious way the constitutional provision in the United States requiring the President to be a native-born citizen had some applicability to British Columbia. There seems to be a notion among many tourists from south of the boundary that the King comes

out here every once in a while and sits on the Speaker's chair, which they love to call the throne, when they speak about it at home. A prominent Seattle lawyer not long ago asked if he should begin a letter to the Attorney General of this province with the words "My lord." That we are taxed every year to pay the salary of the King and maintain the House of Lords is the sincere belief of thousands of people across the border. Possibly there is some excuse for such absurdities on the part of the rank and file of the American people, but it seems utterly inexcusable that any man who knows enough to write a book would make the ridiculous statements which Mr. Fisher has printed, and Mr. Borden has corrected.

THE RACE MEETING

Today the summer race meeting will open. The Country Club has spared no efforts to make the meeting a success in every way. The expenditure of money in connection with the track, buildings and grounds has been large, and the horses and horsemen in attendance are numerous. Every care has been taken to eliminate all possible objectionable features from the meeting, and its management being in the hands of men of good repute, the public may look forward to a very successful season.

The venture is necessarily to a certain extent speculative. This city alone could not possibly support a 60-days race meeting, and very much of the patronage must come from outside. Whether this will be sufficient to make the venture profitable cannot at this time be foretold. A successful race meeting of such long duration would be the means of leaving a good deal of money in the city.

MAD WOMEN

The suffragettes, or at least some of them, have gone as mad as March hares. When Mr. John Burns, M.P., was addressing a meeting in the interests of the anti-tuberculosis crusade, he was so interrupted by some of these creatures that he had to ask to have them removed from the hall, and they were removed accordingly, kicking and screaming as if fit inmates for an insane asylum. It is not surprising that in view of such demonstrations, the cause of woman suffrage is rapidly losing ground in the United Kingdom. These fanatical women are absolutely mad on this one subject. There is no doubt upon that point at all. On other matters they may be reasonable enough, but in respect to the right to vote they have gone clean daft. Very many persons were quite ready to listen to the demands of women for the suffrage with a very favorable bias. Experience had taught them that in most affairs of life the judgment of women is as good as that of a man, when they have had equal opportunities of reaching conclusions. They have realized that the manner of life of most women is such that they are not in a position to form intelligent views on public questions, but they were prepared to admit that if the franchise was extended to them, they might show a disposition to keep abreast of political events and that their influence in affairs of state would be wholly for good. But the demonstrations that have taken place in England have had the effect of compelling such persons to modify their views considerably. They are by no means satisfied that it would be safe to trust the affairs of the nation to a sex which shows itself to be so utterly devoid of reason and to be so hysterical in its treatment of public matters. We are far from suggesting that women as a sex are unreasonable or hysterical. Our point is that the suffragettes have shown, because of their unreasonableness and their hysterical course, to be unfit to exercise the responsibilities of citizens. The great mass of women are suffering by reason of the insane folly of their self-constituted leaders; that is, they are suffering if they really want the ballot, about which we entertain very grave doubts. The suffragette movement seems likely to kill itself out.

THE SEASON

A well-known resident of Victoria said yesterday that every year since he had lived here he could gather an armful of roses in his garden on June 5th, but there would not be a bloom there today. No better proof can be given of the backwardness of the season. Another proof is the lateness of local strawberries in appearing on the market. A few boxes have come in, but they have not been at all well ripened. Next week they will be in evidence in larger quantities, although we understand that the crop will be short, owing to the late frosts, which have done great injury to many of the larger fields. During the last few weeks the weather has been well adapted to growing vegetation, but the cold nights have kept back fruit and flowers. In and around Victoria the prevalence of winds has prevented the timely showers from doing so much good as they might otherwise have done. Looking out from the city it is plainly to be seen that the snow is lingering unusually late on the mountain sides. This is due probably to the absence of rains of any duration, and its presence in some measure accounts for the coldness of the winds. The reports from all parts of the province agree as to the lateness of the season, although there is no reason to suppose that crops of all kinds will not show a very good average, except so far as strawberries go, as has been stated above.

The reports from the Prairies are very satisfactory indeed. The spring was later than usual, but there was a

good deal of moisture in the soil, and as the weather was warm after seeding, growth of grain has been rapid, and it is perhaps quite correct to say that the crop is fully as well advanced as it usually is at this time of year.

The death of young Albert Briggs was particularly sad, and we can assure his bereaved relatives that they have the sympathy of the entire community. Every one who knew the young fellow speaks very highly of him.

The sale of Prince Rupert lots has realized a little above a million and a half dollars. This is a very large sum of money. We think the prices realized were, on the whole, very satisfactory. Very high prices would have had a retarding effect upon the building up of the new city.

We find a statement current on the streets that hotel charges and everything else have been greatly advanced in Seattle on account of the Exposition. Inquiry shows that there is no foundation for this except in a few isolated cases. As a general thing prices are much the same as they were before the exhibition opened.

A correspondent writes to tell us that every other flag than the Union Jack was displayed at the opening of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition. As this is in contradiction of an editorial paragraph in this paper, based upon the writer's own observation, we feel safe in telling our correspondent that he has been misinformed.

The London Standard hopes that Canadian municipalities will not presume too much upon the ease with which they have been able to float loans in the money market. The advice is well meant, but there is hardly a municipality in the Dominion, which would seek to borrow more money than it ought to. Our people as a rule are, in their corporate capacity, somewhat conservative borrowers.

Considerable fear is felt in many quarters of late floods in the mountain rivers, which may cause damage to railway lines. Yesterday's despatches reported serious floods in several places. The railway companies are doubtless taking every precaution possible, and it is a remarkable thing how little loss of life is to be attributed to swollen streams. Mountain railway transportation is being reduced to a science.

Mr. Ralph Smith, M.P., was in the city yesterday and in conversation with a Colonist reporter spoke of the work of the session. He had none but kind words for Mr. G. H. Barnard, M.P., who, he said, has made an excellent impression among the members of the House by reason of his straightforward manliness and attention to his parliamentary duties. Mr. Smith's business in town was in connection with the West Coast mail, concerning which both he and Mr. Barnard had something to say during the session. The work will be carried on just as promptly as possible.

There are signs in the political heavens which portend disagreeable weather. The people of Italy are chafing under the Triple Alliance which has yet three years to run. One of the arguments advanced in favor of this pact with Germany and Austria was that it would make Italy immune from invasion and therefore lessen the burden of her naval and military expenditure; but while it may have prevented invasion, it has not lessened the burdens of the Italian taxpayer, who is told that his country must be made strong within the Alliance. The peninsular power is very unfortunately situated. If she keeps in the Alliance her people must be ground down with taxation so as to keep pace with Germany and Austria; if she leaves the Alliance her northern frontier may be disregarded by her allies and she may lose some of her fairest provinces. Taken altogether the situation is not one for congratulation.

The British Board of Trade has issued a report on trades-unionism in the United Kingdom, from which it appears that the membership of those bodies at the close of the year 1907 was 2,406,746, or half a million more than at the close of 1904, the greatest increase on record. Of this membership upwards of 200,000 were women and girls. The accounts of one hundred of the principal unions are given. They represent a membership of 1,460,000, and their income for 1907 was upwards of \$12,000,000, of which over \$2,000,000 was distributed to unemployed members. In ten years over \$20,000,000 had been so distributed by the unions. The outlay for sick benefits, pensions, funeral expenses and the like, came to upwards of \$5,000,000. The unions had on hand upwards of \$28,000,000. The report points out that owing to the operation of the Conciliation Acts the outlay in "dispute" benefits had fallen off to zero in the building trade. The figures given show the unions to be in an exceedingly prosperous condition and to be doing a very useful work.

A Delicate Hint

Sandy and his lass had been sitting together about half an hour in silence.
"Maggie," he said at length, "wasna I here on the Sabbath night?"
"Aye, Sandy, I daur say you were."
"An' wasna I here on Monday night?"
"Aye, so ye were."
"An' I was here on Tuesday night, an' Wednesday night, an' Thursday night, an' Friday night."
"Aye, I'm thinkin' that's so."
"An' this is Saturday night, an' I'm here again?"
"Well, what for, no? I'm sure ye're very welcome."
Sandy (desperately): Maggie, woman! D'ye no begin to smell a rat!

Dainty New Curtainings in Our Govt. St. Windows

IN ONE of our Government Street windows we are showing some dainty curtain materials especially desirable for casement curtains. The showing is but a hint to the many good things offered in the Curtain Department and you are invited to come in and inspect one of the finest collections of curtainings in Canada.

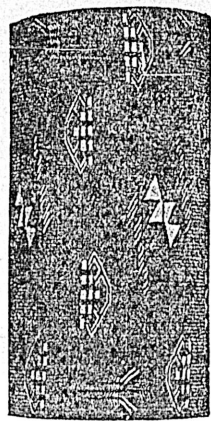
Our "Sundour" unfadable curtainings are guaranteed not to fade in the strongest sunlight. That is the guarantee the manufacturers give us and we stand back of it—ready to "make good" if the materials don't. But we haven't had occasion to do so though we have sold many yards.

Come in and let us show you some of these charming creations.

Let Us Figure on New Blinds For Your New Home—You'll Save Money



Here Is The Ideal Matting For Summer Floors—Fiber



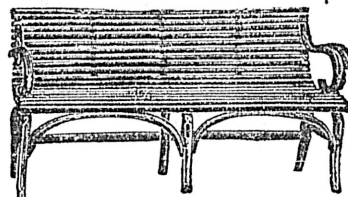
THERE is no floor covering so cool, clean and altogether delightful as this Fibre Matting. Don't confuse it with the China and Jap Matting and their disagreeable odors. Fibre Matting is so superior to these that it is rapidly displacing them.

This matting is sewn like carpet and is much more attractive in design than any other matting. It may be washed and it is also reversible, giving double service. The merits, however, can better be shown in the materials itself, so come in and see it. Priced at, per yard—

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Size—1½x3 ft.	75c	Size—2x4 ft.	\$1.25
Size—2½x5 ft.	\$2.00	Size—3x6 ft.	\$3.00
Size—4x7 ft.	\$4.50	Size—6x9 ft.	\$8.50
Size—7½x9 ft.	\$10.00	Size—9x9 ft.	\$14.00
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Size—12x15 ft.	\$27.50	Size—12x14 ft.	\$25.00

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FOLDING CHAIRS at, each.	\$1.00	FOLDING TABLES at, each.	\$4.50

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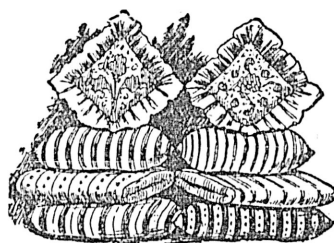
HERE ARE TWO SPECIAL LINES OF DESKS JUST RECEIVED

SOME excellent office furniture has just been added to our stock and the office furniture department of the furniture store is well equipped to look after your requirements. A feature of our offerings in office furniture is our ability to make to order any special work, in our own factory. Some of the new arrivals are—

TYPEWRITER DESKS, and in these we now have a very complete showing. These desks have many special features which make them desirable for well-equipped offices. Prices range from \$35 to \$16

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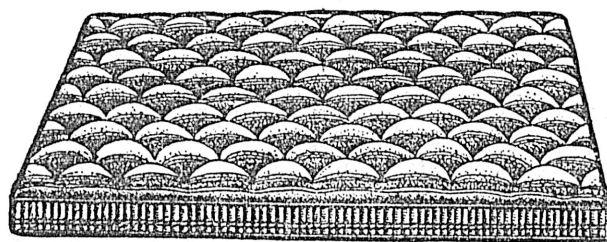


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FORTY YEARS AGO

British Colonist, June 5, 1869:
If any doubts as to approaching events remain in the minds of our people they ought to be dispelled by the telegrams of today. The early incorporation of this colony with the Dominion is evidently determined on by the dominant, and it only remains for Canada to say she is ready to receive us and the thing is done; subject we trust nevertheless to such a bargain as we may make for ourselves in the meantime, and we are happy to note that a member of the House of Commons with the influence of Sir Stafford Northcote expressed himself satisfied with our ability to make our own terms. But the most important portion of the news is that the project of an unopposed intention of the British government to construct, or at least to guarantee the construction of the railroad through British North America. The most sceptical must now be convinced that we shall have a railroad and even with the extremely economical ministry that now guard the purse strings of John Bull the promise of a guarantee is talked of complacently. Those who want land in Columbia had better hurry up and locate it; there is no time to lose.

Some steps are being taken, by one or two public institutions to guard against a Fenian raid. Absurd and wild as the project appears, it is just possible a raid might be made, and it is well to be forearmed. Perhaps too the people should organize for self-defence. (Since the above was in type we learn that the flagstaff Zealots are on their way to this station accompanied by the gunboat Boxer. Indian scouting parties are being organized for service along the coast, and to furnish early information of the landing of any considerable body of men. Capt. E. R. N. is acting in conjunction with the Hon. A. F. Pemberton and the Colonial secretary.)

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

A. O. Cooper, of Crofton, B. C., is registered at the King Edward Hotel.

Mr. D. H. Foster, of San Francisco, is registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Duncan Ross, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress Hotel.

M. J. Barr went over to Vancouver last night on the Charnier.

Hon. F. I. Cotton Carter returned on the Charnier last night to Vancouver.

W. Jackson has left for Detroit. He went east by the Oriental Limited.

Mrs. G. A. Shaw is the guest of Mrs. O. Meredith Jones.

Miss Wilson is staying with Miss Bullen, Esquimalt road.

Mr. Henry Savage, from Tacoma, is in town on a short visit.

Mr. Duncan Ross, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress hotel.

Mr. H. Fray and party of this city, are holidaying in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Miller of Vancouver, are guests at the Empress.

Mr. R. G. MacPherson, postmaster of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress.

Mrs. Little has issued invitations for a garden party next Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds, of Edmonton, are among the latest prairie arrivals.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitcomb, Prince Rupert, are in town and will make an extended stay.

Dr. D. Hunter has returned to the city from Fernie, where he has been practising for over a year.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lyle, of Winnipeg, are recent arrivals here from the prairie province.

Mr. A. H. Lofts, Arm street, is entertaining his cousin, Ernest A. Woods, of Prince Rupert.

R. G. Macpherson, postmaster at Vancouver, arrived in the city yesterday on brief visit.

C. V. Dymont, coast editor of the Evening Telegram, Portland, Ore., is spending a few days in the city.

W. A. Nichol, managing editor of the Vancouver Province, is staying at the Empress Hotel.

Among the latest arrivals from England are Mrs. Charles Priestley and A. G. Priestley, of Bingley.

Misses Martha C. Matheson, Jessie R. Hamilton and Ella Sanford, of Winnipeg, are holidaying in town.

Mrs. Caldwell and Mrs. J. J. Henderson are among the Victoria ladies who are holidaying in Vancouver.

Mrs. Wm. W. Gardner, Pandora avenue, will receive on Tuesday, 8th, and not again until autumn.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Plimman, from Ottawa, are enjoying a short visit in town.

Mrs. James Sargison left yesterday via the North Coast Limited on an extended visit to Chicago.

Mr. Charles T. Orbaugh, from Indianapolis, Ind., is on a visit to the city.

Miss Annie Shears is spending two weeks holiday at Mrs. P. D. Goepels, Highfield, Colquitz.

Mr. E. A. Carow Gibson, from Vancouver, is in town for a few days on a business trip.

Miss Winnifred Beckwith left yesterday on a short visit to friends in Portland, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Nameson, from Ed-

monton, are spending a few weeks here with friends.

Mr. R. E. Grant arrived from Prince Rupert and registered at the King Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Heintzman, from Vancouver, are visiting in Victoria for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor arrived from Winnipeg yesterday and registered at the Dominion Hotel.

Mr. W. G. Adams, cable operator at Bamfield Creek, is registered at the Dominion.

Mrs. Herbert McCarr, from Chatham, N.B., is spending several weeks in town the guests of friends.

Mr. H. C. Taylor, from Seattle, was in town yesterday and left this morning on his yacht the "Sea-Breeze."

Mrs. Leather, of Quamichan, was the guest of Lady Crease during the King's Daughters convention.

Mrs. Reid, of Metchoshin, is spending a few days with Mrs. L. H. Hardie, Oak Bay.

Mrs. Holmes, of Duncan, was the guest of a friend during the King's Daughters convention.

Mrs. H. A. S. Morley, View street, entertained Miss Lomas, of Duncan, during the convention.

H. W. Wills, of Winnipeg, western superintendent of C.P.R. hotels, left for the mainland yesterday after a brief visit.

Mr. H. Nation and his brother, who have been spending the past six months in Manchuria, are in Victoria on a few days' visit.

Mr. Carstens, the German consul at Winnipeg, accompanied by his wife, are on a visit to the city. They are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stratton, of Calgary, left last night on their return to their home after a month's visit to the city.

S. Macaulay yesterday left for Seattle en route by the Great Northern Railway's Oriental Limited to Chicago.

Mrs. M. C. Gordon, of Sydney, left yesterday afternoon via the North Coast Limited on a visit to Montreal.

M. Anderson, of Duncan, has left via the Great Northern Railway for the east on a visit to the Maritime provinces.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Kirk and family from Vancouver, are visiting in Victoria and during their stay are registered at the Empress.

Mr. James Barclay, from London, Eng., spent yesterday in Victoria before proceeding to Duncan where he will spend the summer months.

G. H. Barnard, M.P., who has been delayed by washouts on the C. P. R. near Revelstoke, is expected to arrive in the city this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. McLellan, of Winnipeg, who are touring the coast cities, are spending some time very pleasantly in town before going to Seattle.

Among the passengers on the Charnier last night for Vancouver were J. W. Booth, H. Waller, W. J. Smith, L. F. Grant, Mrs. Hubbard, H. H. Clark and A. McAndrew.

Mrs. G. A. Young, of Ottawa, and her little niece, Miss Vivian Nelson, are leaving at the end of June for Victoria, where they will spend the greater part of the summer, returning to Ottawa in September.

Mrs. W. Bossi, after disposing of her real estate in this city, has returned to Italy to live. She went east by the Great Northern Railway and will embark on the steamship Finland from New York bound for Genoa.

Rev. A. J. Stanley Ard will leave on Monday via the North Coast Limited for New York, where he will sail on the Cunarder Mauretania on a three months' trip to the Old Country.

Mrs. Morris Rooney, of Daysland, who has been visiting in the city, left yesterday afternoon on her return home. Mrs. W. O. McLaughlin, her sister-in-law, accompanying her as far as Vancouver.

Mrs. Holgate, wife of Dr. C. E. Holgate, of Los Angeles, is in the city with her little son on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown, of Cherybank. Mrs. Holgate will spend the summer months in Victoria.

Among the many well-known visitors from San Francisco now in Victoria are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Belt, Messrs. I. Schrieber, W. R. Angstrom, E. Boyce, C. H. Zacharias, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams, Mr. P. O. Dolson and Mr. F. Hutchison.

J. H. Bacon, harbor engineer of the G. T. P. at Prince Rupert, who has been in the city on business connected with his work, left last night on the Charnier for Vancouver, whence he will sail for the north on the Princess May.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Littleworth, Mr. J. H. Littleworth and Miss Jameson arrived in town yesterday from Vancouver, and after spending a few days in Victoria will proceed to Seattle, where they intend staying a fortnight, after which they will visit New York en route for the Old Country.

On Tuesday Mr. Peter Angus Devine, of the Vancouver Milling Company, and Miss E. Frances Tobin, of Buffalo, were married at Vancouver. Mr. R. D. McDonald was groomsmen and Miss MacBryan of Victoria, was bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Devine will spend their honeymoon in Portland and afterwards make their home at Hampshire road, Victoria.

After the convention was over last evening, Mrs. H. D. Holmeckin, a member of the order, entertained the delegates to the convention of the King's Daughters at ten in the palm room at the Empress. The tables were profusely decorated with lilies of the valley and mauve chiffon, the silver cross predominating.

Tea, coffee, and refreshments were beautifully served, and a special programme was given by the orchestra. The guests were: Mrs. G. C. Shaw, Mrs. R. L. Hardie, Mrs. R. Reid, Mrs. E. G. Hasell, Miss M. M. Leitch, Mrs. Macdonald, Mrs. A. T. Watt, Mrs. E. Dickinson, Mrs. D. B. Wilson, Mrs. Jenkinson, Mrs. Marvin, Mrs. McKie, Mrs. B. Jones, Mrs. H. A. S. Morley, Miss Bertha, Mrs. J. S. Elano, McKie, Miss L. W. Sorby, Miss E.

Thornton Fell, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Leather, Mrs. Whitcomb, Miss Christine Bagelt, Miss Jennie E. Lomas, Mrs. M. Dyke Crofton, Mrs. Inverarity, Mrs. M. Clarke, Mrs. Cornwall, Miss Ethel Weir, Mrs. Thomas Allan, Mrs. Fierheller, Mrs. M. O. Anderson, Mrs. Denness, Mrs. A. Weir.

After tea the Victoria members took the visiting delegates up the Arm for a trip on Mr. Ray Troup's sternwheeler, the White Swan Flyer.

North Saanich Methodist church was the scene of a very pretty wedding Wednesday, June 2, when Rev. J. A. Wood united in marriage Capt. Arthur Slater to Edith, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Brethour. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion. The bride looked charming in a beautiful costume of cream voile over taffeta with the usual veil and orange blossoms, carrying a beautiful bouquet of bridal roses and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid, Miss Jessie McLennan of Salt Spring Island, looked radiant in a princess embroidered gown and carried a bouquet of pink roses and lilies of the valley. The maids of honor were Catherine and Vivian Brethour, sister and cousin of the bride, who looked very pretty dressed in white swiss. The groom was assisted by Mr. Alex Brethour, the bride's brother. The gift of the groom to the bride was a beautiful morocco case; to the bridesmaid a pearl and amethyst brooch; the little maids received pearl and amethyst rings, and the groomsmen a nugget stick pin.

The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents on Beacon Ave., Sidney. The table was beautifully decorated with white narcissi, and lilies of the valley. Mrs. J. J. White assisted by five young ladies daintily dressed in white, served refreshments. The presents were numerous and costly, showing the highest esteem in which the young couple were held. Some are as follows:

A beautiful silver tea service, gift of the members of the Methodist church and league, in which the bride took an active part.

Mrs. Henry Brethour, collection of fancy work; Mr. Henry Brethour, check; Mr. Edgar Brethour, cut glass bon bon dish; Mr. Roy Brethour, painting; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. White, silver cake basket; Mr. and Mrs. L. Wilson, silk embroidered center-piece; Miss M. G. Gordon, check; Messrs. A. and J. McArthur, oak biscuit jar; Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, tablecloth and doilies; Mrs. Griffin, linen and fruit bowl; Miss Marjorie Armstrong, chocolate dish; Miss M. Griffith, lace handkerchief; Mr. Manson, silver knives and forks and carving set; Mr. Kelly, silver pudding dish; Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie, silver mounted marmalade dish and spoon; Mr. Stanley Brethour, cut glass fruit dish; Mr. and Mrs. Julius Brethour, silver sugar spoon; Miss Lizzie Brethour, silver tomato server; Mr. and Mrs. John Brethour, curving set; Mr. and Mrs. Critchley, cut glass cream jug and sugar bowl; Mrs. Moorehouse, fancy pitcher; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bryant, check; Rev. J. A. Wood and wife, silver mounted pickle dish; Miss Pearl Harrison, fruit dish; Mrs. Harrison, collection of canned fruit; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brethour, toilet set; Mr. and Mrs. Munroe, family silver cake basket; Mr. Alex Brethour, brother of the bride, carving set; Miss Catherine Brethour, sister of the bride, painted dish; Miss M. and O. Brethour, cream jug and sugar bowl; Miss Marie McKilligan, chocolate dish; Mrs. W. Simpson, butter dish, sugar bowl, and pitcher; Mrs. Grant, table linen; Mrs. Bird, table linen; Master Reggie Simpson, handkerchief; Mrs. Gemma, table linen and towels; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon, cut glass salt cellars; Miss Jessie McLennan, gold-lined silver sugar spoon; Mr. and Mrs. McLennan, carving set; Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, gold-lined silver sugar spoon; Miss W. Wood, salad set; Mr. and Mrs. Shopland and family, dinner knives and forks; Mr. and Mrs. Knowles, marmalade spoon; Rev. Hazen and wife, oriental cushion top; Miss Alice and Eva Roberts, cut glass cream pitcher and sugar bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Capeman, handsome teapot, cream jug and sugar bowl; Mr. and Mrs. R. McCre, silver mounted fruit dish; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McRae, hand vases; Mrs. Anderson and family, oak biscuit jar; Mr. and Mrs. McCauley, fruit spoon; Mrs. Patterson, lace curtains; Mr. and Mrs. Brethour, sterling silver teaspoons; Mrs. Frith Smith, cut glass salt cellars; Capt. Berquist and Miss Berquist, silver mounted fruit dish and silver butter dish; Mrs. Hewitt, tablecloth; Mr. J. W. Brethour, father of the bride, oil paintings; Mrs. J. W. Brethour, mother of the bride, linens; Mr. Coverdale Brethour, brother of the bride, vases; Jack and Abraham Roberts, fancy tea set.

The happy couple left for Victoria en route for the Sound cities on their return, Capt. and Mrs. Slater intend to make their home in Victoria.

Mrs. E. C. Foot, Quebec street, left for Sidney yesterday.

AT THE CITY HOTELS

At the Empress—

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Baldwin, Portland. H. W. Searbrooke, Seattle. S. S. Raymond, Crofton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hoskin, Denver. Otto P. Schwartz, Seattle. E. F. Brittingham, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Moses, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. Mrs. V. G. Lowe, Seattle.

Miss Race, Denver, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Little, Glen Falls, N. Y.

Ada Roul, Appleton, Wis. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kantmann, Appleton, Wis.

Wm. P. Fisher, Andover, Man. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Seymour, Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fullerton, Vancouver. Rose A. Fullerton, Vancouver.

W. McLeod, Vancouver. C. H. Gillies, Vancouver.

A. K. Godfrey, Winnipeg. W. A. Austin, Vancouver.

David Paulin, Edinburgh. Rev. Geo. Henderson, Scotland.

Geo. S. Brown, Hamilton. Consul and Mrs. Carstens, Winnipeg.

E. Elliot, Brighton, Eng. William Birkwood, Scotland.

Duncan Ross, Vancouver. R. G. MacPherson, Vancouver.

G. W. Nichol, Vancouver. R. S. Coxon, Vancouver.

G. L. Tanzer, Seattle. S. G. Faulkner, Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Springer, Vancouver. Miss Springer, Vancouver.

M. G. Connell, New Orleans. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Morgan, Denver.

Arthur Nelson, Vancouver. A. Wallace, Vancouver.

At the Strand—

S. A. Boyd, Seattle.

C. R. Johnson, Maryland.

A. T. Dobson, San Francisco.

J. S. Troy, Alameda, Cal.

F. O. Jones, Alameda.

J. B. Macdonald, Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson, Tacoma.

I. P. Prenter, Toronto.

R. S. Irwin, Vancouver.

H. C. Rayson, Alberni.

F. M. Nelson, Vancouver.

C. H. Sword, New Westminster.

P. H. Cunningham, Ottawa.

Jas. R. Smith, Vancouver.

E. A. Lewis, Vancouver.

E. Rogers, Vancouver.

H. A. Baily, Detroit.

R. A. Bentley, Montreal.

Lewis Winters, Seattle.

Herman Danells, Kentville, N. S.

Thos. A. Curran, New York.



A Few Corset Specials for Saturday's Selling

Thomson's Glove-fitting Corset. Regular price, \$1.75, for\$1.00

Tape Girdle Corset. Regular prices, 50c and 75c, for35c

No. 54—White Coutille Corset, heavy weight straight front, new habit hip, garters attached. Regular price, \$5.25, for\$3.50

No. 349—White Silk Batiste Corset, lace trimmed at top. A very stylish model, extra boning, medium length. Regular price, \$5.00, for\$3.50

No. 441—Heavy Coutille Corset, medium length, ultra smart bust, fine curving waist, good, stout corset, white and grey. Regular price, \$3.50, for\$2.00

No. 551—White Coutille Corset, especially made for stout figures, lace trimmed, medium length. Regular price, \$4.25, for\$2.25

No. 454—Girdle Corset, suitable for slender figures and young misses' wear, well made of diamond cloth. Regular price, \$1.75, for\$1.00

Other splendid models of this famous "American Lady" Corset—

No. 435—Regular price, \$3.00, for\$1.75

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Cosier & Gilmore	4.1
W. Mercer	3.9
Finlay & Sons	4.2, 4.0
Geo. Rogers	4.4, 4.2, 4.0
W. E. Hill	4.3
S. E. Palmer	4.8, 4.2
E. Simpson & Sons	3.2, 3.6
Watson Clark	3.3
Bishop & Clark	3.4, 3.8, 3.9, 4.0, 4.1
Geo. Harrison	3.6
H. Haldane	3.3
C. E. King	4.1
T. G. Smith	4.1
William Holmes	3.9
Victoria Creamery	4.0
E. and T. Raper	4.0
Joe Rogers	3.6
W. Webster	3.6, 3.9
Blagburn	4.2
Slms Bros.	3.8
Mrs. E. Holmes	3.8
G. Holte	3.3
C. Gladstone	3.2

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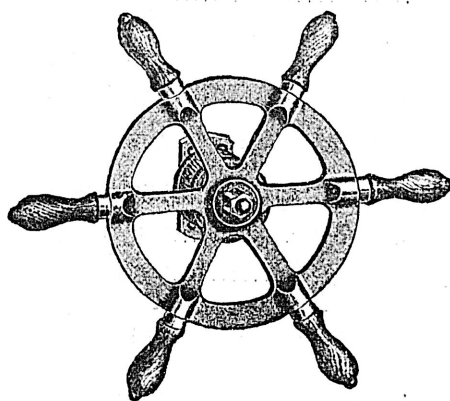
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NEWS OF THE CITY

To Blast Out Rock.

J. R. Williams has been awarded the contract for blasting rock from the Victoria Crescent apartment site. It is estimated that fully 9,000 cubic feet of rock will be removed from Church Hill.

Will Combat Weeds.

Alderman Turner will endeavor by legislation to put an end to the spread of noxious weeds within the city limits. At Monday's council meeting he will introduce a bylaw providing for the destruction of noxious growths early in the season, and establishing penalties for the non-observance of the bylaw.

Information Wanted.

The friends of Edward Robert Caton have asked the Agent-General for British Columbia in London to inquire as to his present whereabouts. He was last heard from at Kelowna, but is supposed to have gone from there to Vancouver on or about March 24th. The Bureau of Provincial Information will be glad to forward any information as to his present location.

Subdivision Sells Well

The Saratoga subdivision, situated in Oak Bay municipality, placed on the market yesterday by the Island Investment Company attracted considerable attention. Before 9 a. m. nine lots had been sold and throughout the day inquiries from would-be purchasers continued to flow in. The same real estate firm put through two lots in the Empress subdivision yesterday at a sum of \$600 each. Victorians were the purchasers in each instance.

Keen Demand for Permits.

The demand for building permits continues active, indicating the activity in building circles. Yesterday permits were issued by the building inspector to Henry Puckle for a dwelling on Morrison street to cost \$2,300; to E. G. Brown for a dwelling to be erected on Princess street to cost \$1,900; to Messrs. Dunford and Matthews, for two dwellings on Chamberlain street, to cost \$2,800 each; to Capt. McIntosh, for a dwelling on McBride street, to cost \$2,600.

Month's Tramway Traffic.

During the month of May the total number of passengers carried by the B. C. Electric company on its local lines was 447,968, compared with 437,924 for the corresponding month a year ago. While the month's total shows an increase, the number of passengers carried on May 24th, when the celebration was at its height, did not come up to last year's figures. This is accounted for by the fact that, unlike last year's celebration, there was less doing in the morning, and a consequent falling off in the traffic.

Missionary Children

Mrs. Campbell, a missionary, from India, addressed a meeting of children, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Wednesday afternoon. The children were shown specimens of the work done by the Hindu children and told many interesting things about life in that distant land on Sunday afternoon Miss Campbell will talk to the Sunday school children and afterwards a woman's meeting will be held at which the returned missionary will speak especially of the needs of Hindu women.

Tramway Extension

At the board of trade meeting to be held next Thursday afternoon the question of improvements and extension to the local tramways will be discussed. Another matter which will probably come up for consideration is the addition of further company to the Fifth Regiment. It is a noticeable fact that since the board of trade drew attention to the lack of public support extended to the regiment that there has been a large access of strength to its ranks. A number of other matters of equal interest will engage the attention of the meeting, and a circular embodying these will be forwarded to the members early next week.

New Incinerator Plans.

The City Engineer's department is now busy preparing plans and estimate of cost for the new incinerator which will be erected at the foot of Telegraph street at the garbage wharf. It was at first proposed to move the incinerator from the present location at the south end of the wharf to the north side at the foot of Herald street, to which point the new wharf will be extended, but it has been decided to build the new incinerator at the south end of the wharf, though further away from the electric lighting plant. The new incinerator is estimated to cost about \$2,000, and will be capable of consuming about twenty tons of inflammable material per day.

Advertising Resources

The Vancouver Island Development League has forwarded advertisements, dealing with the resources of the island, to different papers throughout Canada, the United States, Great Britain and South Africa. The advertisements point out the mild climate and the good profits which accrue from the investment of small capital. Among the industries to which particular attention is directed are: Fruit growing, poultry raising, farming, manufacturing, lumber, mines, railroads and fisheries. To those seeking information booklets are forwarded free of charge. A number of inquiries are coming in to the league from all those who desire to settle down at one point or another on the island.

Victorian's Good Standing.

Among the successful students from British Columbia attending McGill University is Mr. S. B. Peele, brother of Mr. Stanley G. Peele, of this city. This year Mr. Peele led his class of third year medical students with an average of 80 per cent. This achievement is all the more noteworthy in that it is the third consecutive year that he has thus distinguished himself, he having, while at Toronto University, in 1907 and 1908, secured two firsts with honors in each year. Should Mr. Peele be equally successful next year—graduation year—he will have attained an honor that has seldom fallen to any medical student in Canada. Mr. Peele received his earlier education at the public schools at New Westminster.

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THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., June 4, 1909.

SYNOPSIS.

An important high barometer area extends from the Yukon to California and the barometer is low from Alberta southward to Utah and Colorado. These conditions are causing fresh to strong southerly winds in the coast and straits, and with the exception of rain in Cariboo and Skeena valleys, the weather is fair from the coast to Manitoba and cool throughout the Prairie provinces.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	44	65
Vancouver	42	66
New Westminster	42	66
Rainbow	48	78
Barkerville	34	48
Atlin	24	64
Lawson, Y. T.	28	58
Calgary, Alta.	44	60
Winnipeg, Man.	44	62
Portland, Ore.	52	73
San Francisco, Cal.	18	58

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Saturday.

Victoria and Vicinity: Winds mostly southerly and westerly, fair today and Sunday, stationary or higher temperature.

Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds, fair today and Sunday, stationary or higher temperature.

FRIDAY.

Highest temperature 65.0
Lowest temperature 42.0
Mean 53.5
Sunshine, 13 hours, 48 minutes.

Pier Island Sold

Herbert C. Taylor, a resident of Oak Bay, Reading, has purchased the island from Captain Charles Phillips, Valley, N. S. Taylor proposes changing the residence into a country club as headquarters for wealthy men who will use the island as a summer and sporting resort. The island comprises 220 acres of which some forty acres have been cleared.

Delta vs. Wilson

Chief Justice Hunter yesterday handed down his decision in the case of Delta vs. Wilson, which has been before the courts for about five years, having made one trip to the supreme court of Canada in the meantime. It is an action brought by the municipality of Delta to collect certain taxes in respect of drying operations which have been registered by certain owners on the ground among others, that their property was not benefitted thereby. There is also a counterclaim for damages. The chief justice dismisses both the claim and the counterclaim and holds that no personal liability attaches to the owners of the land. Among the counsel engaged in the case were W. J. Taylor, K.C., Sir Herbert Tupper, K.C., and Joseph Martin, K.C.

City's Control of Roads

In chambers yesterday morning J. P. Mann, city solicitor obtained an order for a point of law to be tried in the case of Arbitrator vs. the City, before the trial of the action, which has been brought in respect of the Rockland avenue pavement. The city maintains that once the property owners have petitioned in favor of a pavement, the city becomes the dominant authority and the property owners have no further say in the matter. The plaintiffs' point of view is that the city is merely the agent of the property owners in constructing streets under the local improvement plan. This point will now be decided prior to the trial of the action.

Dairymen Fined

In the police court yesterday afternoon, Robert Brode, the dairymen of the Lansdowne road, were fined \$20 for permitting their cows to be driven along the street without providing drivers competent to control the animals. The complaint was laid by Wm. Ohlson, one of the residents, and several of the neighbors gave evidence. It seems that the defendant had been driving a herd of some 80 cows along the road twice a day tended by two men on bicycles who have proved unable to keep the cows off the sidewalk and unfenced private property. Ten days was allowed to pay the fine, to give Mr. Alkman, who acted for the defence, an opportunity to lodge an appeal. H. W. R. Moore prosecuted.

BRIGADE CHANGES

Vacancies on Fire Department Force

Caused by Resignations Filled by New Chief

That with the new apparatus ordered by the city the fire department will be first class in every particular and a credit to the city is the opinion of Chief Davis, who in his first monthly report to the fire wardens, states that nothing is being left undone by him to add to the efficiency of the brigade. Of the old members of the force six have left, their resignations having been put in some time ago. The retiring were Assistant Chief McDowall, Drivers J. Rhoads, H. Lindsay and J. McBride, and Firemen C. Luscombe and J. Davis. Assistant Chief McDowall's position has been filled by the promotion of Capt. Stewart of headquarters, and the appointment of a new Assistant Chief. The positions of the other retiring men will be filled by the transfer of W. H. Preston from headquarters to No. 2, hall, J. Beech, relief driver has been transferred to headquarters, and R. Murrant appointed as driver at No. 2. During May a total of nineteen alarms were responded to, of which thirteen were box alarms and six telephone. The fire loss amounted to \$790 on buildings on which the insurance was \$18,200, and to \$500 on contents, which were insured for \$500. The number of feet of fire hose laid at fires totalled 6,200, and the number of gallons of chemical used was 300. During the month Chief Davis inspected twenty-one buildings, issued 53 notices and 113 permits.

Chief Davis reported also that it is his intention, as soon as time will permit without impairing the efficiency of the brigade, to take along with him on his trips of inspection detachments of the firemen in order that the men may familiarize themselves with all buildings in the business section.

JUNE WHITEWEAR SALE

Ladies' White Cotton Chemises and Drawers, from \$1.00 to 25c
Night Dresses, from \$2.00 each down to75c
White Skirts, from \$2.50 each down to60c
Corset Covers, from \$1.00 to 25c
Ladies' Aprons, from 75c to25c
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Children's White Aprons, from \$1.10 down to40c

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Pavement Work.

With the completion of the pavement on Government street between Johnson street and Herald street, work will be commenced on the paving of Store street, just about three years from the date on which the bylaw authorizing the work was passed. The E. and N. railway company has been requested by the City Engineer to have the necessary heavy rails ready and laid before the work is undertaken, and it is expected that the company will be able to do so. While it is not expected that the Causeway pavement will be gone on with for some time yet, and in fact will probably not be undertaken for several months, the idea is to proceed with the laying of the concrete walks on both sides of the roadway as soon as there is sufficient funds to do so. It will be nearly a month yet before any funds under the bylaw recently passed will be available, as on all money bylaws thirty days must elapse within which time any ratepayer has the right to object to the measure. Once the work of paving on the Causeway is undertaken, it will be rushed to completion. Owing to the fact that the roadway has settled considerably, it is not expected that any, or at least very little, excavating will have to be done, and as a consequence, the progress of the work will be materially accelerated.

OBITUARY NOTICES

Robertson.
The funeral of the late George Robertson will take place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Services will be conducted in the Hanna chapel on Yates street. The Rev. Dr. Campbell will officiate. The funeral will be held under the auspices of the Masonic Order.

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Dated this 15th day of May, 1909.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

I, A. E. Belfry, hereby give notice that one month from date hereof I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at Victoria, for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Stikine hotel, situated at Telegraph Creek, in the district of.
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SALE OF RUPERT LOTS CONCLUDED

Over a-Million and a Half Dollars Realized on Portion of Northern Townsite

After a two-hour session yesterday the sale of Prince Rupert townsite lots in Victoria, held at the A. O. U. W. hall, came to a conclusion at noon, the total realized on the 421 parcels placed at auction here being \$323,190. Yesterday morning's sale brought in \$14,470. The total amount already realized on the sale of these townsite lots is \$1,500,165, which it is claimed establishes a record.

Auctioneer J. J. Miller, of Vancouver, again officiated with the hammer yesterday, there being a good attendance when the auction was commenced at 10 a. m. Lots in sections five and eight were put up for sale, the highest price obtained being the sum of \$2,175 for two lots in block two of section five. These passed into the hands of G. D. Scott. All the property placed on the market yesterday was of a residential character, but the bidding at no time during the morning was of a spirited character.

A number of lots which failed to elicit a bid beyond the upset price were withdrawn from the market. Auctioneer Miller pointed out an interesting feature in connection with the sale to the effect that none of the lots sold would be subject to taxation during the present year.

The local auctioneers, L. S. Eaton and F. J. Bittancourt, who had control of the arrangements for the sale here, are to be congratulated upon the manner in which it was carried through. Auctioneer J. J. Miller, in concluding the proceedings, thanked those present for their support. Grit and courage, he said, were what were needed to make Prince Rupert an important and influential city. He had noticed these characteristics among those who had purchased during the sale, and he thanked the public for the courteous manner in which they had treated those in charge of the arrangements.

A further list of Prince Rupert lots will be sold in the east.

Yesterday's Sales

A detailed list of yesterday's purchases follows:

Section Five
Block 3, lots 10 and 11, \$1,200, Mr. Butler.

Block 11, lots 1 and 2, \$1,700, A. B. McKenzie; lot 3, \$300, A. B. McKenzie; lot 4, \$500, A. B. McKenzie; lots 5 and 6, \$475 each, H. E. Munday; lots 29 and 30, \$2,175 each, G. D. Scott.

Block 2, lot 18, \$320, Mr. James; lot 19, \$315, Mr. Berenfeldt.

Block 14, lots 44 and 45, \$875 each, Capt. Peppert.

Block 16, lots 22 and 23, \$685 each, H. W. Scarborough.

Block 26, lots 13 and 14, \$700 each, Mr. James.

Block 17, lots 1 and 2, \$1,600 each, M. G. Irish; lots 3 and 4, \$655 each, Mr. Deterline; lots 5 and 6, \$805 each, A. B. McKenzie.

Block 5, lots 17 and 18, \$375 each, Mrs. J. Anderson.

Block 13, lots 23 and 24, \$350 each, Mr. Hurd; lot 22, \$450, Mr. Butler; lot 21, \$425, Mr. Butler; lots 20 and 19, \$440 each, Mr. Deterline.

Block 7, lots 32 and 33, \$1,300, Mr. James; lots 31 and 30, \$580 each, Mr. Deterline.

Block 8, lots 7 and 8, \$610 each, Mr. Browster.

Block 9, lot 7, \$520, G. W. Kerr; lots 8, 9 and 10, \$510 each, Mr. James; lot 11, \$505, H. E. Munday; lot 12, \$500, Mr. James; lots 26 and 27, \$715 each, G. D. Scott; lots 44 and 45, \$1,270, E. D. Orde.

Block 18, lot 5, \$660, J. M. Woodburn; lot 6, \$640, W. Arney; lots 22 and 23, \$770, M. James.

Block 19, lots 1 and 2, \$1,590, Fullerton Bros.; lot 3, \$650, E. G. Hulbert; lots 4, 5 and 6, \$600, G. D. Scott.

Block 20, lot 6, \$370, R. J. Hulbert; lot 7, \$350, Mrs. Anderson.

Block 37, lots 17 and 18, \$300 each, J. N. Muir.

Block 22, lot 30, \$290, E. Maclean; lot 31, \$275, H. E. Munday.

Block 35, lot 17, \$240, Mr. James; lot 18, \$220, Mr. James.

Block 39, lot 15, \$210, W. Ryan; lot 16, \$210, Mr. James.

Block 24, lot 16, \$265, W. H. Price; lot 17, \$255, Mr. Butler.

Block 41, lots 19 and 20, \$340, Mr. James.

Block 32, lots 11 and 12, \$200 each, Mr. James.

Block 29, lots 21 and 22, \$75 each, Mr. Fischel.

Block 43, lot 11, \$115, Mr. James; lot 12, \$100, Mr. James.

Block 45, lots 15 and 16, \$230 each, Mr. James.

Section Eight.

Block 25, lots 1 and 2, \$85 each, H. E. Munday; lots 3 and 4, \$25 each, Mr. Jones; lot 5, \$35, Mr. Jones; lot 6, \$40, H. E. Munday.

Block 24, lot 23 and 24, \$65 each, J. N. Muir.

Block 34, lot 105, \$100, Mr. Naden; lots 106 to 114, \$900, Mr. Naden; lots 115 and 116, \$225, Mr. Naden.

Block 6, lots 14 and 15, \$70 each, Mrs. J. Anderson.

Block 22, lots 19 and 20, \$70 each, G. D. Scott.

Block 20, lots 6 and 7, \$35, H. E. Munday.

Block 35, lots 7 and 8, \$30 each, Mr. Berenfeldt.

Block 45, lot 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11, \$85 each, G. D. Scott.

Block 46, lots 1 and 2, \$175, Mr. Naden; lots 3 and 4, \$100, H. E. Munday; lots 40 and 41, \$185, Mrs. J. Anderson; lots 42, 43, 44, and 45, \$75 each, Mrs. J. Anderson; lots 67 and 68, \$65 each, E. A. Lewis.

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Block 8, lots 23 and 24, \$80 each, J. N. Muir.
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Block 43, lots 18 and 20, \$75 each, E. A. Lewis.
Block 48, lots 23 and 24, \$165, G. D. Scott.
Block 11, lots 35 and 36, \$35 each, E. A. Lewis.
Block 16, lots 35 and 36, \$35 each, H. E. Munday.
Block 12, lot 30, \$60, E. A. Lewis; lot 40, \$75, Mr. Naden; lots 33, 34, and 35, \$75 each, Mr. Naden; lots 72 and 73, \$175, Mr. Naden.
Block 41, lots 5 and 6, \$115 each, Mr. Naden.
Block 51, lots 35 and 36, \$100, Mrs. J. Anderson.

SCOTTISH DELEGATES TO PRESBYTERIAN COUNCIL

Rev. G. Henderson, B. D., and David Paulin, Visit to Victoria

Scottish delegates to the General Presbyterian Council to be held in New York from June 15-26, the Rev. George Henderson, B. D., of Monzie, Crieff, and David Paulin, of Edinburgh, have arrived in the city, on a pleasure tour, prior to going to the American metropolis. The former is pastor at Monzie and one of the leading lights in the United Free church of Scotland, while the latter is manager of the Scottish Life Assurance Company of Edinburgh.

The United Free church in Scotland has a membership of 500,000. Mr. Henderson, president of the Guild of Young People and at the General Council to be held in New York he will deliver an address on the progress of work among the younger members of the church. This council meets every five years, the last gathering having been held in Liverpool, and the preceding one in Washington, D. C. Scotland sends fifteen delegates to the council.

The visitors have just made a sight seeing trip across the American continent. They are greatly impressed with the beauties and probabilities of Victoria, which they regard as one of the most picturesque cities which they have visited during their travels. The assurance company of which Mr. Paulin is the manager in Edinburgh has many investments throughout Canada and holds bonds of Winnipeg and Vancouver as well as possessing interests in various other places. They are staying at the Empress hotel, and before returning east will pay a visit to the Exposition at Seattle.

MEMORIAL FOR ENGINEER HERE

Former Pupil of Central School Writes of School Days of Late Charles Black

The suggestion has been made that a tablet be secured and placed at Central school in commemoration of the memory of Chief Engineer Charles Black, who lost his life at his post on the steamer Coquitlam when the fire occurred on board that steamer some days ago. The dead engineer was a pupil of the Central school.

One who was at the school when he was there said: "I knew Charles Black very well during his school days at the Central. He was a strong, manly sort of a lad, broad shouldered, well muscled and had the long lean look of a fighter. The boys all liked him, as he was a first rate fellow in every way. His manner, however, was more like that of a boy of ten in company with High school lads. He took his place in the line-up he was told to take."

"When the school term closed in 1896 Black, who was older than most of the boys, was most anxious to pass at the exams. When the class assembled and marched in to music to hear the promotion list read, Black had failed to pass. He marched out as bravely as any of the class, his shoulders well set, and his head carried as proudly as ever, but his face was pale and set hard.

"All his chums now feel sure that Charles passed his final exam with the highest honors and hope to see a tablet erected to his memory in the school, for he did credit to it, and to all who knew him."

MANY WORKS BUT LITTLE MATERIAL

City Has Not Yet Succeeded in Securing Supply of Rock for Public Works

With works of local improvement passed upon and authorized by the city council to such an extent that if those already projected were to be proceeded with, and no new works passed nearly eighteen months would be required before the slate could be cleaned off, and with the city practically without a supply of crushed rock with which to construct these works, the engineer's department is in a quandary. A supply of crushed rock must be had, and had at once, or otherwise many local improvement works will be held up.

After the successful fight which the municipality of South Saanich waged against the city finally prohibiting the use by the city of the Mount Tolmie rock supply, an effort was made to secure a permanent supply of rock from the Indian reserve. Negotiations have been under way between the city and the local federal officials with a view of obtaining permission for the city to place its crusher on the reserve, where there is an inexhaustible supply of good rock. Some time ago the city's application was forwarded to Ottawa, but no reply has as yet been received. In the meantime, with the exception of a small amount of rock, which will last but a very short time, the city is practically rockless. Should the city secure the right to blast and crush rock on the reserve the amount paid for the same will go to the Indians interested.

ELECT OFFICERS FOR ENSUING YEAR

Final Session of Convention of King's Daughters Took Place Yesterday

The third session of the convention of the King's Daughters was opened yesterday a.m. at the St. Andrew's schoolroom by Mrs. D. B. Wilson with reading and prayer. The minutes of former sessions were read and adopted. Thirty-three delegates, including Mrs. W. H. Bone, who was unavoidably absent yesterday, Mrs. Bogardus, and Mrs. Cornwall, answered the roll call. The question of the time and date of the quarterly executive meetings was discussed, and on the motion of Mrs. D. B. Wilson, seconded by Mrs. Bogardus, it was decided to amend the constitutional rule as follows: "Time and date of meetings to be determined at the discretion of the executive."

The nomination and election of officers resulted as follows: Provincial secretary, Mrs. G. C. Shaw; recording secretary, Miss M. M. Leitch; treasurer, Mrs. L. H. Hardie; executive, Mrs. Hasell, Mrs. Morley, Miss Wilson, Miss Chapman.

Afternoon Session.

Afternoon session opened at 1:30 p.m. The postponed discussion regarding incorporation was resumed. Mrs. Hasell presented a copy of the "Benevolent Societies Act," and explained legal advice she had kindly received by the courtesy of Mr. Lindley Gleason on this subject. It was moved, seconded, and passed unanimously that the branch incorporate, details of incorporation to be left to the provincial executive, with power to act.

The circle reports followed, and were characterized by a spirit of usefulness and charity, and helpful service worthy of all emulation. The work undertaken is very comprehensive and far reaching, one circle of young girls having become responsible for the maintenance of an orphan child in India, in connection with the Zenana mission; others having contributed to the Chinese and Japanese hospitals and to the children's ward in the latter. Others again have cared for the needs of individual sick or poor, and promoted various educational and philanthropic enterprises, especially the building fund of the Duncans Memorial Convalescent Home.

The reports from the Vancouver circles were most practical and inspiring, and the scope of work undertaken by them worthy of all praise. As a whole these reports were exceedingly encouraging, and contained many beautiful thoughts and wise suggestions. The Whatsoever, Fairview, and Quiet Hour circles did not report. The report on the building of the convalescent home followed, and the meeting was disappointed to hear that actual work had not, as yet, commenced, but tenders will be called for almost immediately. The committee on resolutions returned the thanks of the convention to the Rev. Mr. Clay and his session of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church for the use of the schoolroom in which to hold sessions; to the press for generous space allotted to reports and notices; to the executive for the past year for faithful services rendered the order; to the Victoria King's Daughters for hospitable welcome; and to Mr. H. D. Helmecken for courtesy and entertainments; and to Mrs. Hasell for services as press secretary. A cordial invitation was received from the Vancouver circles to hold the next annual convention in Vancouver in June 1910.

Mrs. A. T. Watt received the thanks of the convention for the very kind invitation to the delegates to visit her at her home at William Head on Saturday afternoon.

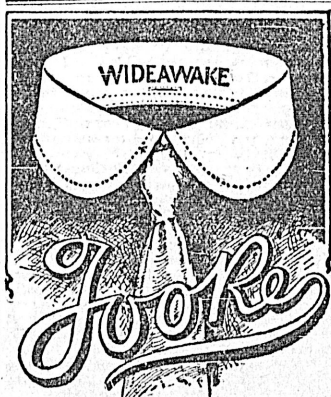
A resolution was unanimously passed to send to Mrs. Mackenzie Cleland, a former King's Daughter in this branch, the kindly remembrances of the order, and an inquiry regarding the special work undertaken by her in the zenana mission field of India. A report of this convention was ordered to be printed. The final minutes were heard, and the session was closed.

Tees Returns

Steamer Tees, Captain Gilliam, arrived last night from Clatskanie and away parts on the West Coast after an uneventful voyage. She reports rough weather off Sechart and as a consequence the steam whaler Orion is doing very little work. The following passengers arrived here: A. D. McIntyre, Paul R. Chaney, W. Ritz, C. O. Trusler, and W. G. Adams.

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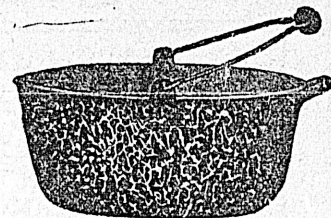


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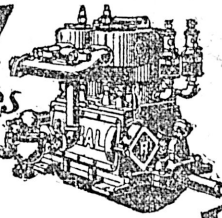
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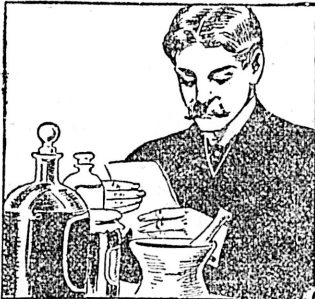
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"Women and their children suffer alike from the evils of intemperance and kindred vices over which they have no influence."

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Are women now, and have they always been, without influence in the world? Are we waiting for the day when we can cast a ballot in favor of this or that candidate before we can do anything to make the community soberer and purer. Does anyone imagine that the enacting of even the best of laws will do more to benefit its men than the work which good mothers have done and are doing to bring up their sons and daughters to be strong and pure? Have sisters and sweethearts during all the centuries done nothing to help those they loved to resist temptation and to undertake noble deeds? What is that which enables the sister of charity to pass safely through quarters of the city into which strong men are afraid to enter, or protects the nurse whose duty takes her into the field or camp? Is not the work done by the women of the Salvation Army as well as many others whose aims are pure and whose hearts are filled with love a living proof that the greatest reforms can be brought about by the influence of women and without the aid of laws?

It is not proof that laws are not needed to say that they are not the greatest forces in the world. But it is a fatal mistake for women to think that till they obtain the power of choosing lawmakers they have no influence.

The mother who from the first moment of consciousness moulds the character of her child can, if she is a good woman, do more for him than all the laws that ever were made. The woman who makes her home a place where love and purity and happiness reign has an influence in the community for good which the ablest moral reformer may well envy. Women of all countries are working for the franchise and the signs of the times indicate that they will obtain it. But let no one think that the power it gives them will, if exercised ever so wisely, make the place of the influence that flows from a pure, loving strong nature.

The article from Canada, published yesterday, shows us that in Mrs. Beanlands, Victoria, has a daughter of whom she may well be proud. The pictures will speak to English people in a way that no words could of the beauty of our fair city. They will, too, it is hoped, encourage lovers of beauty here to try to reproduce what they see. It may be that some day these pictures by Sophie T. Beanlands will be looked upon as the beginning of a school of art which has its home in a province whose varied beauty no country can excel. Is it too much to hope that before long we may have, on this side of the mountains, a few masterpieces of art. Even one great picture well studied would be a wonderful help. Meanwhile we may be thankful that Mrs. Beanlands has had means and opportunity for study and has accomplished something worthy of praise.

Some one may remember that about this time last year Mrs. George Cran visited Victoria. Mrs. Cran is an Englishwoman who had been a nurse and her mission was to send nurses to the lonely places where women lived in Canada. Whether anything has come of the plan or not has not been heard. As set forth by the energetic lady the scheme seemed feasible and certainly there are many places of this province where women are wanted who could care for others in time of need. This, we are told, is even truer of districts on the prairies where the young homesteader may live far from any other family. It is, however, true that the opening up of the country and the building of railroads is making the need less each year, although as long as new districts are being settled there will always be women whose lives are hard and lonely and who in time of sickness suffer from that cause.

Mrs. Cran has, however, done Canada good service on her return to England. She was a shrewd observer and in her journey across the continent she heard and saw much which she believed her countrymen and women should know. She has published an article in the Bystander in which she does not scruple to tell her countrymen and countrywomen what she believes to be the truth. The article is worth reading. Mrs. Cran says:

"The average Englishman regards Canada as a vast plain of alternate snow and wheat, or else as a speculative habitation for spare capital; never as a beautiful, spacious home. The bulk of Canadians, in their turn, regard England as a high-spirited ward is liable to regard a wealthy guardian of cranky temper—a guardian whose powers of control must terminate with the ward's maturity and who will probably be dearly loved from the perspective of release; but who, meanwhile, is to be endured and considerably grumbled at. The traveler from these islands to the big Dominion is apt to start out with the erroneous idea that his nationality will give him prestige over there, will excuse, perhaps idealize, any eccentricity on his part and any ignorance of his destination. This apprehension is inevitably subject to many shocks and his pride of race is violently thrust back upon him during his sojourn in Canada. The Canadian, generally speaking, regards the Englishman with little of his own regard for himself and does not share his pride in the little island home whence he comes. The man who is proud of the past is unlikely to find much in common with the man who is proud of the future.

"See what we have done," cries the Englishman, and "See what we are going to do," cries the Canadian. Excellent pride, both of them; in the vital energy which impels the latter one is prone to overlook the element of uncertainty it contains.

"Your country is worn out," said a young Ontario to the writer recently. "Your roads have hedges and are kept like park-walks; every hill is labeled 'Caution'; every turning has a sign-post to tell which way to go. Your very roads nurse and pamper the intelligence out of a man. Why, I'd soon learn to rely on signs instead of the sun for my direction if I lived there, and I'd forget to shoot if I had

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your country; every acre of bush has a 'trespass-board' in it instead of something for the pot. Your country is worn out."

The narrowness of outlook displayed in these remarks will be derided by the superficial reader, but there is, in fact, reason in the view taken by so many Canadians. We are in danger of becoming a nation of cities, an urban race united to the rest of the world only by their judge us as already unfit who are, as yet, only becoming unfit.

"The population of Canada, which is less than that of London alone, is drawn from many sources; its prairies are filled by Italians, Germans, Swedes, Danes, Galicians, Doukhobors, and Americans, besides the French and English. In British Columbia yellow labor swarms; the costly, excellent 'boy' is at once the heartburn and the godsend of a Pacific province; he is felt to be a menace and a necessity and is regarded with the oddest mixture of distrust and gratitude. That same uncertainty of attitude in a modified degree towards the French element in Canada and towards the powerful and yearly growing contingent from the States. The general idea over here is that Canada is peopled with Britons, with a certain admixture of the old French blood; that the two get on capitally and unite in adoring England and everything English. Never was such a work of Empire awaits the women of broad and endurance who will settle on the prairie homesteads and rear their children in the best traditions of Britain. Canada can do with citizens who put honor before wealth, and Britain greatly needs, if she only knew it, a loyal leaven in her greatest colony.

"I do not speak wildly. From Montreal to Victoria, in the eastern cities, through the prairies, across the Rockies, in British Columbia itself, most English of all the Canadian provinces, I heard last autumn abuse of English pride, English stupidity, arrogance, indolence. I have notes of the names of the speakers and of what they said for any who care to ask.

"And I suggest that the way for

England to right herself is to take the line of least resistance. To encourage her surplus population of healthy, high-spirited girls to leave their efforts at barren independence in the Old Country and settle to widowhood and motherhood in the New."

The Toronto Home Journal, Toronto, deserves to have a very wide circulation among Canadian women. It is not so large as those published in the United States, but its articles are bright, interesting and varied. The paper and illustrations are good and there is much in it of value to the housekeeper. It has improved much of late and the management deserves support.

"The Spring Ballad"

When the 'sap' is in the maple, when the honey's in the bees,
It's a task amazing simple to write Home Folks rhymes like these!
When the dew is on the clover and the corn is in the silk,
When the crow is in the rooster and the cow's foot in the milk,
When the corn is in the fritter and the smoke is in the hank,
When the down is on the gosling and the fleece is on the lamb,
When the worm is on the fish hook, and the bluish is on the morn,
But—beware the frosted pumpkin and the shock of fodder corn!

When the quack is in the duckling, and the lilac in the bud,
When the patch is on the trousers and the bare foot in the mud,
When the hoe is in the garden and the red is on the rose,
When the curl is in the fish worm and the freckle on the nose,
When the hen is on the door knob, when the hopper's in the grass,
When the chirp is in the cricket and the apple's in the sass,
When the syrup's on the pancake, when the tick is in the clock,
But—beware the frosted pumpkin and the fodder in the shock!

When the tang is in the elder and the elder in the jug,
When the hay is in the meadow and the June is on the bug,
When the sting is in the skeeter, when the buzz is in the fly,
When the germ is in the water and the pig is in the sty,
When the prune is in the boarder, when the honk is in the goose,
If you're bound to write a Folk Rhyme For a running out of subjects—when the darn is in the sock—
But—beware the frosted pumpkin and the fodder in the shock!

—New York Times.

Miss Grace Taylor, Welland, won a fellowship at Bryn Mawr college, Philadelphia.

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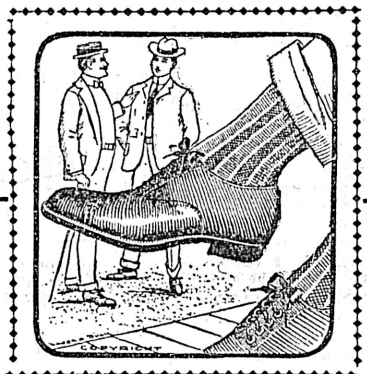
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JEFFRIES ASPIRES TO CLOUDLAND

Retired Champion Will Take
Aerial Trip in Big Balloon
With Noted Aeronaut

Springfield, Mass., June 4.—James J. Jeffries is anxious to visit the clouds, and will make a balloon ascension from this city early this month. Jeffries will make his first aerial flight in the All-American balloon, with Leo Stevens as pilot. The balloon is one of the largest in the country, and there will probably be one or two other passengers in addition to the heavy-lifter.

Leroy Taylor, of New York, who made an ascension from here yesterday with Mr. Stevens, is a friend of Jeffries. He told Mr. Stevens he was talking recently with the former champion, and that Jeffries had expressed a desire to have a look at the earth from among the clouds. Mr. Taylor asked Mr. Stevens if he would take Jeffries with him, and Mr. Stevens said he would. The date will be arranged soon, and the ascension will be made as soon as Jeffries returns from his Western vaudeville trip.

SUTTON WINS TITLE FROM GEORGE SLOSSON

Made Brilliant Run of Seventy by
Delicate Line Nurs-
ing

New York, June 4.—George Sutton, of this city, has won the world's championship title at 18.1 ball line billiards from George Slosson, at the Madison Square Garden. The deciding game was a tedious one, going to 39 innings, and at every stage from the third inning Slosson was outplayed. Sutton's work in the 28th inning was up to his best form. He made a run of 70, which he gathered from delicate line-nursing. Slosson also made his best effort in this inning, with his high run of 26. When the match ended with Sutton's required 500 points, Slosson's total was only 201.

RESULTS AT THE WOODBINE

Toronto, June 4.—First Race—Gallop purse, 500 added for 3-year-olds, six furlongs. Tassie 105 (Goldstein) 7 to 20 and out won. Desperado 110 (M. Farthy) 3 to 1, 2 to 5 and out 2nd. Larky 91 (Francis) 15 to 1, 5 to 2 and 2 to 5, third. Time 1:14 1-5. Also ran, Scorching, Royal Oak, Scorching, Maxin Gun, Fulford, Lasalle.

Second Race—Kingston purse, 500 added for 2-year-olds, five furlongs. Setback 107 (Rettig) 2 to 1, 7 to 10 and out won. Dalhousie 107 (Goldstein) 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and 7 to 10, second. Hickory Stick 105 (Gilbert) 20 to 1, 8 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time 1:02 2-5. Also ran, Socialist, Lady Etna, Adeline Bourne, Beau Chilton.

COLLEGIATE SCHOOL DEFEATS BARRACKS

On June 2nd at the barracks the Collegiate school eleven defeated the Garrison team by the rather decisive victory of five wickets, and some odd runs. J. F. Meredith was the hero of the day, batting and bowling being excellent. The garrison won the toss, and elected to bat, but their wickets fell fast, and by the time the side was dismissed (by Meredith's bowling is wickets for 16 runs) and the excellent fielding of the Collegiate boys, their total was only 38. The schoolboys then went in and scored 125, of which number Meredith was responsible for 83. His hard hitting was the feature of the match, his being composed mainly of fours, while several sixes were obtained by him on hitting the ball repeatedly over the buildings and out of the grounds. In the garrison's second innings, they made 120 runs, Thomas batting splendidly in both their innings. He was very steady all through, and was responsible for 48 out of the 120. With twenty minutes to play, the Collegiate again went in, requiring 30 runs to win. These they obtained well under the time for the loss of five wickets, and stumps were drawn leaving the school victorious by five wickets. It is only fair to add that the garrison were without the

LOCAL ATHLETES TO ENTER DUNCAN EVENTS

A big delegation of athletes from the J. B. A. A. will go to Duncan this morning to take part in the track carnival that is being held in the town up the island.

Sid Winsby will go as a starter in the 100-yard dash, and Baylis, Coleman and Jack Sweeney will take a chance at the five mile trot.

The baseball nine of the J. B. A. A. team will make the trip, and will play a game against the Duncan nine. This game will be a big feature of the celebration. Besides the athletic events there will be a dog, flower and poultry show, and hundreds are expected to attend.

Young Corbett Wins

New York, June 4.—Young Corbett, of Denver, after going the ten round limit tonight won by a small margin, a bout with Sammy Smith before the Fairmont A.C. The former lightweight champion showed many marks of the fight when the final gong sounded. The final rounds Corbett fought with a split lip.

The Derby of 1909 is over and Minoru has followed in the footsteps of Persimmon and Diamond Jubilee. All that was wanted to make the Two Thousand an unqualified success was the presence of the King, but his Majesty was present and saw the leased three-year-old son of Cyllene win one of the most exciting finishes in the history of the big Epsom race. So much on the event has already been written in these columns that little further can be added. Minoru was trained to the hour, so necessary for the colts weeks before the race. Some of the best critics have been unanimous in their praises for Minoru. His quarters have been fined down considerably since he won his first race of the season at Newbury, and his stylish head and neck stamped him as a racehorse of quality. When his racing days are over he will be a great acquisition to Colonel Hall Walker's Tully stud in Ireland.

The Southern Football League will next year copy the example of the First League in the matter of promotion and relegation. Briefly, it is proposed to extend the league to twenty-two clubs next season. The four top clubs in Division One shall descend to Division Two at the end of the next two seasons and the two top clubs of Division Two in each season shall be promoted. There has never been any real interest in the Southern league and by these means it is hoped to stir up enthusiasm.

Todd Sloan has been refused a license by the Jockey Club. Sporting writers across the water took his case up but it was without avail and Todd will never be allowed to ride again. They claimed that neither in England or France had he ever been charged with a serious offence. It was for backing his mount in the Cambridgehire that he got into trouble in England, while in France it was for riding a filly on a track that happened to be closed to exercise. Todd was for the latter offence that the French stewards pronounced the strongest sentence in their power and warned him off. Todd Sloan took action in the courts against the French stewards and the tribunal pronounced in favor of the jockey and the ban was removed. The English stewards have always refused to grant him permission to ride again.

One of the biggest improvements at the Oak Bay track, and one that will be greatly appreciated by the lady patrons, is the installation of a ladies' dressing room in the grand stand. Here will be found during the entire meeting a maid in attendance every afternoon during the races.

OSLER BEMOANS TREND OF THE AGE

Says Manufacturing Pharmacists Are
Now Teachers of Medical
Profession

Toronto, June 4.—The feature of yesterday's session of the Ontario Medical Association was an address by Prof. William Osler of Oxford University. Dr. Osler commented on the progress made by medical science in the past few years and urged that an active scepticism of inquiring minds

should be the attitude of medical men towards the treatment of disease.

Dr. Osler protested against the enslaving of the medical profession by manufacturing pharmacists, who, instead of being willing helpers had assumed the role of teachers.

DIFFERENT SYSTEM OF JUDGING

International Jury Will Be Con-
stituted to Judge Olympic
Events

Berlin, June 4.—The most important act of the international council of the Olympic games that has been in session here was the recommendation of the principle of an international jury to decide the events in future Olympics. The council took under consideration the unfortunate controversies that arose in London in 1908, and finally decided that it was wiser to introduce an international system of judging rather than leave this to the sole control of the country where the games take place. The council, it is explained, did not get a spirit of criticism of anything that happened in England. Its opinion was that the contests could be conducted with greater good will if they were under international control. The Swedish committee has invited the participants in the games of 1912, which are to be held in Stockholm, to become guests of the committee.

Bunching the Handcuffs.

An afternoon caller criticised a young South Side matron because the latter was making saucer bangs on her little daughter.

"You ought to let her hair grow," the caller advised. "Pretty soon she'll be large enough to have her hair combed straight back."

"Yes, that's right," the mother agreed, "and I am going to wait until her teeth begin to come out so she can look homely all at once."

A Drop of Ink.

"Tis said that one small drop of ink May mar a million people's lives. And one drop falling on your cuff Is, as you will agree, enough To make you think things you have not In calmer moments ever thought. The ink on a gentleman's cuff is a Her ready pen in ink and slips A complement to you, the drop Of ink she uses makes you stop Thelinking 'you have done before And merely soar and soar," S. E. Kiser.

A Woman's Wish.

By Stokely S. Fisher.

She mocks at me—her coquetry A merry mask for modesty. She knows my every nerve will feel Restlessly the shy appeal Wooling in witching rallery.

So delicately maidly,
With gaily radiant flippancy—
Love's deeps with ripples to conceal—
She mocks at me.

Beneath the moon how frank was she,
Honest, from all disguises free,
And wholly mine for woe or weal;
I felt my soul before her kneel—
How slyly now, in roguish glee,
She mocks at me!

Gloves.

Fashions in gloves come and go, but no matter what their length, if gloves do not fit easily, the hands appear short and clumsy. The fingers of the glove should be quite as long as the fingers of the hand.

Besides, tight gloves do not last, which is an economical consideration. Refined and thoroughbred women never wear gloves too small for them, and many insist on a glove large enough to wrinkle, which may be taken off or put on the first time. "It is quite a science," said a charming woman. The hand should be perfectly clean, dry and cool. Never put on gloves when the hands are moist or too warm.

First push in the four fingers, leaving the thumb out and the rest of the glove turned back over the hand. When the fingers are on, thanks to the gentle movements of the other hand, draw on the thumb with great care, placing the elbow on the knee. After this draw back the glove over the hand. When the second button, continuing this all the way up. Then return to the first button, and you will see how easily it fastens without cracking the kid, which often happens if buttoned first. Besides this, the buttonhole will not be stretched which is of great importance if one wishes the glove to look well as long as it lasts. Never pull gloves off by the finger tips, but by the wrists. They will thus be turned wrong side out, and the moisture communicated from the hand be quickly evaporated. When they are dry, put them carefully away in a proper place. Otherwise, they will shrink, split easily, and become useless.

In the reign of George III. hats of above 12s in value paid a tax of 2s.

BLACK OUTLOOK FOR ARMENIANS

Fears That Present Quiet Will
Be Followed by More
Massacres

Alexandretta, Asiatic Turkey, June 4.—There was some firing by Turkish soldiers last night in the village of Deurtyul. No information regarding the casualties has been received.

Berlin, June 4.—A special correspondent of the Berlin Tageblatt, after visiting Mersina, Adana, Alexandretta and Antioch, telegraphed his paper from Aleppo today saying that the country is extremely quiet, but that everywhere there is anxiety with reference to the near future. Armenians and Syrians are leaving by hundreds, while importers are cancelling their orders. Martial law will be declared as soon as the Constantinople government sends reliable troops, after which the leaders of the reactionaries and separatist movement will be tried before military courts.

The Syrian army corps, the correspondent continues, is being replaced gradually by Macedonians, but in spite of these measures, the fears of an insurrection are general, and every man goes armed. The local branch of the Ottoman bank has committed the sum of 6,000 pounds sterling to manufacturers for arms for this section alone.

CURRENCY PROBLEM

Europeans Much Interested in Discus-
sion of Question in United
States

New York, June 4.—Marked interest abroad in the currency problem of the United States was noted by Jacob H. Schiff, the banker, who returned today from a six weeks' trip in Europe.

Mr. Schiff said that everywhere he encountered keen interest in the tariff legislation, the settlement of which was eagerly awaited not only in the belief that it would signalize a revival of commercial and industrial activity, but because the effect it was hoped it would have on the settlement of the currency problem.

"It is particularly hoped," said Mr. Schiff, "that with the tariff out of the way the solution of the currency problem will be sought with energy, for it is already feared that unless the question is promptly dealt with we shall only again heap up new fuel which in time to come will bring on another conflagration. As the first step towards this, the immobilizing of capital through the enormous absorption of new securities by the United States and the simultaneous heavy gold export is being pointed to, while with a sound system, we would be in a position to reduce the volume of currency to the decreased needs of commerce and industry. As is, the large surplus of paper currency not now needed can be employed only in securities purchased, or it must displace our gold by driving it to other countries. In fact, that is being done, and after a while we will start to pay the penalty. The report of the monetary commission is eagerly awaited."

MET WITH SCANT COURTESY IN U. S.

Ottawa Lady on Way to Visit Mother
Was Stopped and
Deported

Ottawa, June 4.—Mrs. Herman Garth, of this city, left yesterday for Stirling, Michigan, to visit her mother, who resides there. At the American boundary she was stopped, questioned severely, discourteously treated and detained for some hours in the immigrant pen, after which she was deported.

There will be an official enquiry into this.

Bay of Quinte Conference.

Belleville, June 4.—Bay of Quinte Methodist conference elected Rev. Benjamin Grearx of Belleville as president.

Suspected Counterfeiters.

Newark, N. J., June 4.—Four men and a woman, all Italians, were arrested in this city today on suspicion of being counterfeiters or being concerned in passing counterfeit money. The police found a number of two dollar bills in a trunk in the house similar to many such bills which have been circulated in this city yesterday.

Chauffeur Sent to Prison.

New York, June 4.—A sentence of not less than seven years nor more than twenty years in Sing Sing prison was imposed today upon William Darragh, a chauffeur, whose automobile ran down and killed Ingvard Trimble in the city on March 27th. Darragh was trying out a car and moving at a fast rate when his machine struck the boy, who was 13 years old. Leaving him lying in the street, Darragh kept the car going, and on the following day left the city, being afterwards arrested at Port Arthur, Texas.

By Janet Sweet.

If I were a man—a married man—I would not be over-anxious about my wife's appearance, unless I was willing to pay the penalty of hearing a few plain, unvarnished truths.

This is the time of the year when the married man of a certain class wonders why his wife doesn't look as well dressed as other women.

Perhaps he takes one of the children with him. And then, again, perhaps he doesn't, since children are not to be too bothersome with their exterminating machines. At any rate, whether he takes the children or not, he takes his Sunday stroll as sure as the sun shines.

With the satisfied feeling that always pervades the body of the married man with a cone and no sundies, he allows himself the extra luxury of admiring all the pretty women that cross his path.

It is said that New York contains more blond-looking and well-dressed women than any other city in the world. This is not exaggerated. It is quite agreeable with this sentiment, although he has never travelled more than 100 miles in any direction from Manhattan. Women are becomingly aware that they are good-looking and they are well preserved.

He quite enjoys their easy spring, as he has a pleasant memory of the very wonders on his way back who his wife doesn't make a better showing. By the time he has reached home and has



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climbed up to the three or four flights of stairs requisite to light and air on the island of Manhattan, he has worked up quite a grievance in his own mind as to his wife's unnecessary shortcomings.

At dinner—which, by the way, is "san reproche"—he makes the mistake of voicing his sentiments, and remarks:

"Saw Jones and his wife this afternoon. She is certainly a fine-looking woman; gorgeous hair; stunning figure; dresses beautifully; never seems tired."

His unspoken comparison has hit the mark—the sensitive nervous organism of the finally grained woman—as brutally and effectively as well directed kick applied to some physical male body.

If he intended any further remarks they are hushed prematurely by the blaze in his wife's eyes. If the man has been "born under a lucky star," the blaze is quickly drowned with tears, and the little wife retires to the privacy of her own room to "weep it off." If his wife has a spark of spirit, however—and American women are usually somewhat gifted that way—she will "talk back," despite an ordinarily kindly disposition.

She will sarcastically inform her husband that Mrs. Jones is indeed a fine-looking woman and that she has good reason to be. What she spends on her complexion would make any man's clear his lack of diminutive. Her gorgeous hair (what isn't purchased outright) is beautifully tinted. Not bleached; no, indeed! Bleaching is common and cheap, as compared with the delicate process of tinting. She will also explain (what every woman knows) that any woman can have a stunning figure if she is willing and able to pay \$15 or \$20 for her stays. (The word stays means the same, yet somehow sounds better.) Why does Mrs. Jones never look tired? Oh, only because they keep two maids. And why does she dress beautifully? Not because she has better taste than any other woman, but because Mr. Jones very evidently is not a "tightwad," like some men one might mention.

Unfortunately, the comparison in this case doesn't terminate there. There are so deep as those that will not hear. The aforementioned well directed booting would be far more effective—only women are not built that way.

A man may think it strange that his wife looks tired at the close of the day, after washing, clothing and feeding a brood of active children and providing for all their physical and mental necessities. A man may think it strange. Every woman wonders how she lives through it and keeps her face.

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SHARP REPLY TO DR. JORDAN

French Professor Objects to
Statement That His Coun-
try Is Decadent

Bryn Mawr, Pa., June 4.—Resenting a statement made by President David Starr Jordan, of Leland Stanford University, in his address at the commencement exercises of Bryn Mawr College here today, Professor Lucien Foulet, instructor in French literature, arose from his seat on the platform, and exclaiming, "It is not so," left the building.

President Jordan's subject was "War and Mankind." In the course of his remarks he said: "Spain, Italy and France show the effect of their blood-stained battlefields. France, by her own confession is a weak and decadent nation."

The statement was made with emphasis and President Jordan paused a moment to give it added force. During the pause there was heard the scraping of a chair on the back row of the platform and the next instant Prof. Foulet appeared in the front of the stage with his face flushed and visibly much agitated. Turning squarely in front of the speaker, the professor raised his hand and virtually yelling in his anger, said: "It is not so. France is not decadent."

There was a moment of suspense and then a murmur of various expressions. Professor Foulet bowed low to President Jordan and then walked down the steps of the stage with great dignity. Dr. Jordan was as surprised as was the audience and very much embarrassed. After the Frenchman had left the building he made a motion as if to elicit order and then said:

"If there are no more interruptions I will continue." There was intense silence until the speaker concluded his address. The incident, however, had the effect of throwing a damper upon all the exercises and the Californian as well as M. Carey Thomas, president of the college, were plainly ill at ease. Their embarrassment was shared by the members of the faculty.

NATIONAL ART TREASURES

"Duchess of Milan" Episode May Lead to Demand for Prohibition of Export

London, June 4.—There is reason to believe that the successful efforts to save Holbein's "Duchess of Milan" for England will lead to some definite action in high artistic circles, with a view to regulating in some way the exportation of national art treasures. The matter has attracted much attention during the past week, and the precedent of Italy, in which a law to that effect is now in force, has been often cited. The present law, safeguarding the previous one of 1902, has only been in existence for a year. It prohibits the exportation from the kingdom of any object of historical, archaeological or artistic interest, the loss of which would be of importance to the nation. Any object which it is desired to export must be submitted to a board of three officials appointed for the purpose, with an appeal to the Superior Council of Fine Arts. Article 1 provides for the price to be paid by the Government for the acquisition of objects otherwise intended for exportation, and Article 10 deals with the taxation to be imposed on exported objects.

Unfortunately, experience has shown that the law is not so effective for its purpose as might at first sight be supposed, and it has by no means stopped the exportation of art treasures. Every species of trick and subterfuge is now resorted to when it is desired to sell a valuable picture out of the country; the place of the original in its frame being sometimes taken by a deftly executed forgery.

Though the Italian law is regarded with favor in artistic circles, who would welcome a similar provision in this country, it is admitted by those best acquainted with the subject that the chances of any such law being passed in England are exceedingly remote. The chief objections and obstacles standing in the way may be summarized as follows:

1. Any such enactment would be regarded in this country as an unwarrantable interference with the liberty of the subject.
2. There is no fund available for the purpose, and neither political party would care to incur unpopularity by allocating large sums for such purchases.
3. The preparation of a list of works of art for registration would be a very lengthy and costly matter and afford information as to their whereabouts which would probably lead to their purchase by other countries before they could be protected here.

COSTLY TOURNAMENTS

Member of Italian Parliament Says Exhibitions of Military Prowess Constitute Scandal

Milan, June 4.—Roman society is much agitated over a memorial presented to parliament by Deputy de Felice, setting forth in minute detail a long list of alleged scandals in connection with the king's life guards. The charges are so serious that his majesty himself has taken the initiative in ordering a special inquiry.

During the society season in the capital, sportsmen, tourists, and especially English-speaking visitors of the fair sex display delirious enthusiasm for witnessing feats of military prowess and horsemanship, for which the Italian army is renowned the world over. Thus private military tournaments have been held in a circus constructed within the barracks of the Quirinal, whereto privileged guests have been invited.

Besides, however, delighting English young ladies and promoting innumerable love affairs, these dangerous feats have resulted in seven cuirassiers having to undergo serious operations, while others have had fractured bones, concussion of the brain and sprains of a serious kind in executing a precipitous descent.

The memorial goes on to state that scores of valuable remounts have been injured through these erratic performances, and thereupon sold as cheap bargains or given away to officers and outsiders.

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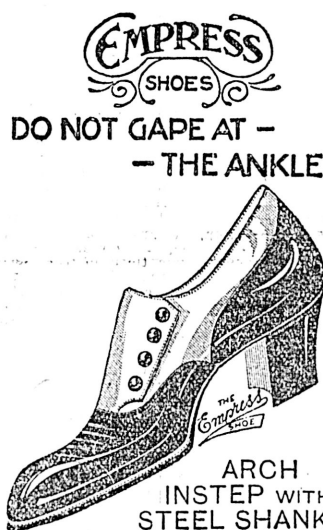
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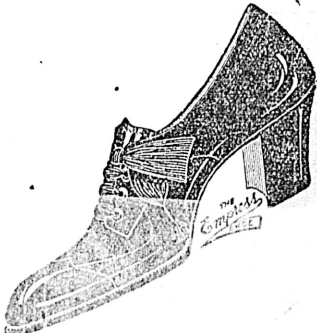
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Thompson and Other Streams Threaten to Do Much Damage

Kamloops, June 4.—Floods seem imminent in this district. The Thompson river is rising at the rate of an inch an hour and during the past few days has swollen several feet. The heavy rains of the past few days have been partially responsible. Considerable loss of life and property is feared.

In some sections south is now menacing with rain effects to higher and serious loss has been reported so far though at the rate of a foot a day more is expected.

On the Thompson river, the water is now rising at the rate of an inch an hour and during the past few days has swollen several feet. The heavy rains of the past few days have been partially responsible. Considerable loss of life and property is feared.

Damage at Patrick's Bay. Nelson, B.C., June 4.—Reports of the damage at Patrick's Bay on the Skeena River show the damage to have been even greater than first thought. For three hundred feet the bank was completely carried away, necessitating a new track through the mountains. Further trains can again pass across. What

was the track is now a rushing torrent of water which has taken in its course the bed on which the lines were laid. Short above is a perpendicular cliff 150 feet high, through which the new track must be cut. Passengers to transfer were compelled to walk several miles around the mountain to reach the other side of the break. There is a train and engine caught in a trap between Patrick's Dam and Lemon Creek, where there is another great washout about 200 feet long. The creek overflowed into four streams, destroying ranches and property and taking down the Skeena River a house belonging to A. Campbell.

Several acres of land were washed away, lumbermen all through the district suffering heavily through logs and whole booms being carried away by the mad rush of water. Several millions of feet have been already lost. The water is still rising and further damage is probable.

BLACK-HANDER ESCAPES

Breaks Out of Prison at Spokane, Idaho, June 4.—A black-hander escaped from the prison at Spokane, Idaho, June 4.

Several days ago a black-hander escaped from the prison at Spokane, Idaho, June 4. The escape was made through a hole in the wall of the prison. The black-hander was seen by a guard and was shot at, but he escaped. The black-hander was seen by a guard and was shot at, but he escaped.

THIS LUMBERJACK HAD RECORD ON HIM

Went Arthur, Ont., June 4.—One of the best lumberjacks named Symons was probably lately injured last night by a lumberjack named Keenan. The lumberjack had clippings on him when arrested, telling of how he had beaten up five policemen at Fort William and other fights throughout the province. He is held in jail without bail. Keenan had two ribs broken, his head badly cut, and was suffering severe internal injuries.

MANY CANADIANS AT SPOKANE CEREMONY

Spokane, June 4.—Rev. Dr. S. Willis McFadden, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, has received responses from ministers and laymen in thirty states and five provinces in Canada, promising to attend the ceremonies at the laying of the corner stone of the new church home here on Monday afternoon, June 14.

The principal speakers will be Rev. Dr. Ira Landreth, secretary of the Presbyterian Brotherhood of America and dean of a girl's school at Nashville, Tenn., and Rev. Dr. J. W. Berkley, of Detroit, Mich., moderator of the General Presbyterian Assembly, who will also attend the convention of the Presbyterian Brotherhood of America in Spokane on June 14 and 15. The new edifice occupies the site of the Cannon mansion and will be one of the finest church buildings in the Pacific Northwest. Dr. McFadden, who came to Spokane from Iowa a short time ago, has

POW TREASURE IN MORAVIAN TOWER

General G. W. B. Scott, of the Moravian Church, has discovered a treasure of powder in the tower of the Moravian Church at Raleigh, N.C.

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BASEBALL NOW BY ARTIFICIAL LIGHT

Cincinnati, O., June 4.—The practice of playing baseball by artificial light soon will be tested at the Cincinnati park. This problem has engaged the attention of President Harry Herrmann for several months. An Eastern inventor has devised a system of illumination which is to be given a thorough test. Five steel towers have been erected and mechanics now are at work installing artificial lights. The inventor claims the work will be finished with such a strong light that it will be possible to execute any play in baseball that can be

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The building was located on the banks of the Charles River and had a seating capacity of 3,000. A menagerie is situated near where the theatre stood and at one time it was feared that the animals would be burned and the animals liberated. The firemen, however, succeeded in saving them.

The Lady Shot Well

Chicago, June 4.—Mrs. J. Tepper was the only woman member of the squad which shot at the Chicago

RECORD HIGH WATER AT GRAND FORKS

Highest Point for Seven Years Is Touched by Kettle River

Grand Forks, June 4.—Owing to the heavy rains of the past two days the north and west forks of Kettle River are now swollen beyond their banks. The water is five feet deep along the road in the residential section on the north fork and both rivers are still rising. The water this year is a month later than usual and is now the highest it has been for seven years.

REV. HERMAN CARSON IS NEW PRESIDENT

Vancouver, June 4.—The annual convention of the British Columbia Christian Endeavor society, which was held in this city, proved a success. Reports from different committees show the organization to be in a flourishing condition and an increasing power for good in western Canada. In the election of officers Rev. Herman Carson, pastor of the First Congregational church of Victoria, was made the new provincial president. It also was decided that next year's annual convention would be held at the Capital.

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Pembroke, Ont., June 4.—Rev. Wm. Phillips has been elected president of the Montreal Methodist Conference.

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Body of A. T. Briggs, of R. P. Rithet Co., Found Floating in Inner Harbor

The discovery yesterday morning shortly after 8 o'clock by the crew of a passing tug boat of the body of a boy, afterwards identified as that of A. T. Briggs, has presented another mysterious case of death in the waters of the inner harbor. Up to a late hour last night the police, in their search for information concerning the probable cause of the lad's death, had learned but few definite facts; but it is believed that the boy while coasting down the incline from Wharf street, at the foot of Johnson street, to the waterfront must have lost control of the bicycle on which he was riding, and plunged over the wharf into the harbour.

From the few facts which have been ascertained, it is believed that the lad in his plunge over the wharf struck his head against the side of a tug, the Beaver, which was lying at the wharf, and sunk before he could cry out. He was known to be a good swimmer, and the fact that he could not save himself though so near the wharf, leads the police to believe that he must have been injured in some such manner as above.

Lying in the Mud
When first discovered the body was lying in the mud, face downwards beneath the wharf, and could not be seen by any person on shore. The remains were lifted to the wharf and the police notified Detective Claydars ordering the body removed to Hanna's undertaking rooms.

At first the identity of the lad was a mystery until, on a search of the clothing some papers, custom's receipts, were discovered. The receipts belonged to the firm of R. P. Rithet & Company, to which a telephone message was sent, and W. Allen, one of the company's staff, immediately on viewing the body recognized it as that of young Briggs, who had been employed by the R. P. Rithet Company as custom's clerk, and who had left the office shortly after noon, on Thursday. Later the father of the boy, was notified and completed the identification of the body. The sight of his son's body proved too much for the father, who broke down as he told how he had wondered at the boy's absence from home on Thursday evening.

Case Is Mysterious

How young Briggs came to his death is wrapped in mystery. He was seen on Thursday afternoon shortly before 2 o'clock riding his wheel at a fast rate westward along Johnson street in the direction of Wharf street. One of his youthful friends ran out onto the roadway, and called after him to come and have some ice cream, but Briggs did not stop. He was then on an errand for his employers. Evidently in making the turn at the corner of Wharf street and Johnson he lost control of his wheel, and carried forward at a high rate of speed ran over the wharf and into the water. When the body was discovered there were bicycle clips still around the trousers, but the wheel has not yet been recovered.

Yesterday afternoon investigation along the water front failed to disclose any one who had seen the boy as he rode to his death across the wharf. An engineer on the Beaver was reported to have remarked last night to a friend that about the time that the boy is supposed to have plunged into the harbour he (the engineer) was on board the tug. He heard some object strike the side of the boat, but did not pay any attention to the noise. Subsequently, however, when the body was discovered the occurrence was remembered, and he believes that in falling Briggs' head struck the boat. This supposition is borne out by the presence on the right side of the head of a severe bruise.

Cap Was Found

When B. White, assistant of W. J. Hanna, undertaker, was preparing to take the body to the undertaking rooms, a man, whose name he failed to secure, came up and holding out a cap said:

"Perhaps this belongs to him. I found it after I heard a splash in the water."

Who this individual was, and why the cap and his attention had been attracted by the sound of a splash in the water, the man did not state, and Mr. White was so engaged at the time that he forgot to inquire further.

That the lad must have been injured as he fell from the wharf appears certain, as with his well known ability as a swimmer he would almost certainly have been able to swim to the piles under the wharf or at least make some outcry had he not been rendered incapable of so doing.

Young Briggs was a member of the J. B. A. A., an athletic boy and a participant in most of the manly sports. He was 19 years of age and a native of Victoria. He leaves to mourn his untimely death, his parents, whose only child he was. His father, A. J. Briggs, of the lands and works department, resides on Chambers street. This afternoon at 3 o'clock an inquest will be held at the city hall.

Pleased With A.Y.P.

Mayor Hall, accompanied by Mrs. Hall, returned yesterday afternoon from Seattle whither they went to attend the opening ceremonies of the A.Y.P. exposition as guests of the directors. Mayor Hall stated that he and Mrs. Hall greatly enjoyed their trip and every attention was paid to the visitors by the exposition management by the mayor of Seattle. The fair, Mayor Hall believes, will be an unqualified success and the greatest credit is due those under whose directions the enterprise has been carried on.

Celestial Still at Liberty.

Wong Kee, the Celestial, who in some mysterious manner succeeded in getting free from his cell at the provincial jail on Thursday night or early Friday morning, has not yet been recaptured despite the search made for him yesterday by the jail guards. How the prisoner, who was sentenced on Wednesday morning to a term of three months in jail on a charge of vagrancy, managed to make his way to freedom is a question which the authorities cannot answer. The Chinaman was locked up in his cell at the usual hour but the cell was empty in the morning when the time for the usual exercises arrived.

Board or Council Committee.

Whether the parks board will be continued as an active body and the places rendered vacant by the resignations of John Arbuthnot, late chairman of the board, and Messrs. F. B. Pemberton, John Nelson and G. E. Wilkerson, will be filled by the appointment of other public-minded citizens, or whether the board will become a thing of the past and hereafter the work of park and boulevard maintenance will be left to a committee of the city council are questions which will be determined at Monday night's council meeting.

Mayor Hall stated at last night's meeting of the streets, bridges and sewers committee that something must be done at once and Alderman Turner suggested that one of the first things to do after the matter was settled was to take up the question of the disposal of the animals at the park, whether to keep them or to dispense with them.

Assault Costs Money

After nearly four hours spent in thrashing out the facts of the assault made by E. Evenson and Thomas Ildstad, school trustees of the Quatsino school district, who maltreated Constable Sorenson when the latter attempted to hale them into court because of their action in interrupting the holding of a case before Justice of the Peace Norstrom, at Quatsino, ten days ago, the two militant trustees were yesterday fined \$20 and ordered to pay the costs of the court amounting to \$13. The case arose out of the objections which Ildstad and Evenson took to the school property at Quatsino being used for the purpose of holding court. The defendants were brought to Victoria for trial and the case was heard yesterday afternoon and evening before Magistrates McMicking and Pearson. G. Morphy appeared for Evenson and W. Shandley for Ildstad. H. D. Helmcken, K.C., appeared for the Crown. Four witnesses were called for the prosecution and two for the defence. The prisoners also testified on their own behalf.

AMUSEMENTS

The Victoria Theatre

Today affords the last opportunity to see "A Night Off," the amusing farce comedy being put on at the Victoria theatre by the Edmund Gardiner company. It has been played to good houses each night, and the last two performances should be well attended. There

will be a matinee this afternoon at which popular prices will be charged and the usual performance in the evening.

Next week "Sweet Lavender" will be on the bill, Pinero's delightful love drama. An old favorite with playgoers everywhere, it should prove very popular. It will hear seeing more than once, and so many of those who have seen the play elsewhere will certainly see it again, while those who have not are given an opportunity which they should not overlook. Mr. Gardiner himself will take a part. He is clever in comedy roles, but has not yet played here, and there will be much interest in seeing how he acquits himself.

A Good Substitute

Nat Goodwin, the actor, who will be seen at the Victoria theatre in "The Easterman," on Monday night, described at a recent dinner a Turkish bath that he once took in Mexico. "My rubber," said Mr. Goodwin, "was a strong man, a very strong man. He laid me on the slab and prodded and kneaded and punched and hammered me in a most emphatic way. At the end, after I got up, he came behind me before my sheet was adjusted and gave me on the bare back four resounding whacks with the palm of his enormous hand. 'What on earth did you do that for?' I panted, staggering. 'No offense, boss,' said the man. 'It was only to let the office know I was ready for the next bath. You see, the bell's out of order in this room.'"

New Grand Theatre

For the last time this week the New Grand will put on tonight the splendid bill running since Monday in which the Faust Brothers and Kelly and Reno have been bidding one against the other for pride of place as the public's favorites. Both the acts are fine ones and though about as diversified in character they well can be both of the greatest interest and amusement.

Virginia Grant will sing her selections for the last time tonight. Her- man, the illusionist and magician, in his clever sleight of hand performance concludes his Victoria engagement, and Billy "Indom," premier of black face men, in the "Bride Elect and the Colored Nurse Girl," last night filled the theatre again.

Next week the Grand management has one of the biggest and best bills of the summer season coming, the headliner of which is Leo Cooper and company, who will play "The Price of Power," a play- let that abounds in enthusiasm and pathos. Leo Cooper is one of the greatest actors of the Pacific coast.

Frank V. Seymour and Emma Hall with an eccentric comedy act "The Mix and the Mixer," will present one of the best comic acts and Mlle. Riata, supported by Louis Mintz, lyric tenor, will be seen in an act of the latest production. The Ariel Posters; Slater Brockman, the boy impersonator in a lightning change of act, and Thomas J. Price singing "The Sweetest Thing on Earth," and new moving pictures complete the bill.

Pantages Theatre

Have you an idea how the trunk mystery is accomplished? Marvelous isn't it? Wilbur Wright's aeroplane exhibition is both interesting and instructive and the Italian Saxophone Quartette present a musical programme both classic and enchanting, while the balance of the bill, including the regular attractions, help in the creation of amusement.

Miss Blake, the most beautiful woman on the vaudeville stage will be at Pantages next week in "A Jack and a Queen."

Birthday of Julia Ward Howe.

Surrounded by her children and grandchildren, Mrs. Julia Ward Howe celebrated her ninetieth birthday recently. Despite her advanced age the famous writer is in full possession of her faculties and mental keenness, and still manifests great interest in all the great public questions of the day.

The feebleness of age, however, rendered it imperative that Mrs. Howe forego a public observance of her anniversary.

Mrs. Howe received many letters and congratulatory telegrams, and immense quantities of flowers, from friends in all parts of the country. Julia Ward Howe is still active, young in spirit, full of the broadest sympathy for all that tends to uplift mankind and to make the world brighter and better. At an age attained by few, most of whom are content to mark time as their hearts "beat funeral marches," Mrs. Howe says, with a smile, "The deeper I drink of the cup of life the sweeter it grows—the sugar all at the bottom." A friend says of her: "The woman herself is greater than anything she has done."

"You see, my husband was a very great man, and I had very dear children, and I have two great grandchildren, and I am very fond of little children." Thus at 90 she explains her joyous retrospect and sweet content. She does not discuss her work, which has gained her world-wide fame.

As Julia Ward she was born in New York City, May 27, 1819, during the administration of President Monroe. She

first came into public notice in the '40s, as joint editor of the Boston Commonwealth, an anti-slavery journal, with her husband, Dr. Samuel Gridley Howe, in 1842. The slavery issue and the civil war inspired what is considered her greatest work, the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," written in 1861, while, with her husband, she was visiting the armed camps at Washington. The lines have all the swing and military fire of the tread of marching armies.

Since the civil war she became active in woman suffrage, prison reform, the cause of universal peace, and other sociological and philanthropic ends. Other well-known poems, by Mrs. Howe are "Passion Flowers," "Words for the Hour," and "From Sunset Ridge," while in prose, "A Trip to Cuba," "Sex and Education," "A Life of Margaret Fuller," "Is Politic Society Politic?" and her "Reminiscences" give an idea of the breadth of her interest in the world's progress.

Among the intimate friends of Mrs. Howe and her husband, most of whom are gone, may be mentioned Charles Sumner, Horace Mann, Henry James the elder, Carlyle, Wordsworth, Florence Nightingale, Emerson, Webster, Everett, Alcott, Hawthorne, Longfellow, Holmes, Agassiz, Chautau, such were the figures that made up her world.

Mrs. Howe, though womanly, has always been forceful, and her writings reflect a healthy vigor. She has, in fact, always been a fighter. Her whole long career has been connected with campaigns for what she conceived as social uplift. At present she is aiding the cause of woman suffrage. In a single week she has given three public addresses on technical matters and to bodies of experts. She is and has been for thirty-three years president of the New England Women's club and of the Boston Author's club, and president of a number of other literary and women's organizations. F. Marion Crawford, novelist, recently deceased was a nephew.

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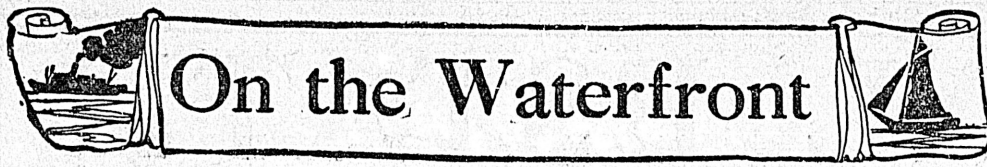
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MYSTERY OF WRECK REMAINS

Search Made at Long Beach Fails to Shed Light on Matter

LINEMAN MADE AN INVESTIGATION

Says Spar Is From Pass of Melfort—Hull or Sunken Reef Is There However

The mystery of the submerged wreck, over which the sea is seen breaking a mile and a half offshore from the Harvey ranch at Long Beach, between Ucluelet and Clayoquot, on the west coast of Vancouver, remains unsolved. The government telegraph linemen, Mr. Hillier, has failed to solve the mystery. Is it the Condor? Bonnycastle Dale, the author and naturalist who visited the place says the spar washed ashore there is unmistakably from a warship, and that wreckage marked with the name of the lost sloop-of-war has been coming ashore at the place. Mr. Harvey says that four years ago it was noticed for the first time that the waves broke over some sunken object, whether hull or reef he will not engage to say.

Mr. Hillier patrolled the scene after the reports that the wreck of the lost Condor, which foundered eight years ago with all hands had probably been located were published, and yesterday afternoon the following telegram was received from him on his return to Ucluelet.

"I have examined Long Beach carefully, and find nothing of the Condor wreck. I have also examined the spar and have decided it is from the wreck of the Pass of Melfort. At the supposed hill off Long Beach Mr. Harvey first noticed a sea breaking over four years ago, and I do not know if it is a wreck or a sunken reef. It can be examined only from sea at low water on account of the heavy swell breaking there. Lies due south from Mr. Harvey's house."

H. J. HILLIER, Government Telegraph Lineman.

MANNING WATCHING FOR SEALING SCHOONERS

That the revenue cutter Manning has been lying in wait for any sealing schooner found hunting during the closed season in northern British Columbia waters is the news brought by the steamer Princess Beatrice from northern ports. The sealing schooner Thomas F. Bayard, which put into Port Simpson to land 404 sealskins reported on arrival having sighted the Manning at anchor at the north of Hecate Strait. Capt. Blakstad said the United States revenue cutter was lying off Celestial reef, between Porcher and Graham islands. He thought when he sighted the vessel from a distance she was the hydrographic steamer Lillooet and approaching closer found her to be the Manning. He learned that she was engaged in watching for sealers hunting after the close of the spring season. After landing her skins at Port Simpson and making some repairs the Thomas F. Bayard proceeded north, bound to the other grounds.

MINNESOTA REACHES SEATTLE FROM MANILLA

Disabled Tail Shaft of Port Engine Causes Delay Toward Close of Voyage

The steamer Minnesota of the Great Northern line reached Seattle last night from the Orient, 36 hours after the arrival of the Montague, which left Yokohama at the same time on May 21. Toward the close of the voyage the steamer was delayed by a broken tail shaft of her port engine. Upon discharging her cargo the Minnesota will probably proceed to the government drydock at the navy yard, Puget Sound, to install a new port tail shaft. Marine Superintendent C. C. Lacey began negotiations to this effect following the receipt by wireless yesterday morning of news that the big liner is completing her passage from Yokohama propelled only by her starboard engine and screw.

There is no drydock other than that at Bremerton of sufficient size here to accommodate the Minnesota, and repairs can be effected only when the vessel is out of water.

Word of the Minnesota's mishap came yesterday morning when she was 500 miles off Tatoosh Island. Captain Austin stated:

Port tailshaft broken and hung in chains, no damage to hull and no assistance needed; going ten knots; sea smooth; all well."

Empress at Hongkong

The C. P. R. Pacific liner Empress of Japan arrived at Hongkong at 6 p. m. on Thursday.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

By Government Wireless.

Cape Lazo, 8 a. m.—North-west wind, clear; bar, 29.98, temp. 54; sea smooth. No shipping.

Point Grey, 8 a. m.—Clear; north-west wind; bar, 29.98, temp. 54; sea smooth. Out, fishing steamer Manhattan, 7:45 a. m.

Tatoosh, 8 a. m.—Clear; north wind; bar, 30.04, temp. 45; sea smooth. In, U. S. S. Dix, 7:40 a. m. Out, steamship Ohio, 7:10 a. m.

Estevan, 8 a. m.—Clear; north-east wind; bar, 29.98, temp. 45; sea rough. Spoke Empress of China, Lat. 49.37 north, Long. 129.30 west.

Pachena, 8 a. m.—Clear, north-west wind; bar, 29.98, temp. 45; sea smooth. Steamer Tees east-bound, 7:10 a. m.

Cape Lazo, noon—Clear; wind north-west; bar, 30.02, temp. 60; sea moderate. Camosun north at 9:30 a. m.

Point Grey, noon—Clear; wind north-west; bar, 29.98, temp. 63; Vado in at 8:20 a. m.

Tatoosh, noon—Part cloudy; wind west, 10 miles an hour; bar, 30.13, temp. 54; sea, moderate. Out, steamer Ohio, at 8:50 a. m.

Steamer Kuperic, at 9 a. m.; out, slide, bound in steamer Minnie south.

In, Ingle, bound, put, steamer schooner Marborough.

Pachena, noon—Cloudy, wind west; bar, 29.93, temp. 52. Edna Grace east, at 8 a. m.; steamer Ohio, west, at 9:50 a. m.

Estevan, noon—Clear; wind north-west; bar, 30.16, temp. 56; sea rough. Steamer Victoria 230 miles north-west of Estevan at 9 a. m.; steamer Croix, 230 miles north-west of Tatoosh.

Cape Lazo, 6 p. m.—Clear; north-west wind; bar, 30.03, temp. 59; sea moderate. Steamer Rupert City, southbound, in Seymour Narrows, at 6:50 p. m.

Point Grey, 6 p. m.—Clear; north-west wind; bar, 29.97, temp. 57. No shipping.

Tatoosh, 6 p. m.—Clear; south-west wind, 15 miles; bar, 30.18, temp. 54; sea moderate. No shipping.

Estevan, 6 p. m.—Clear; north-west wind; bar, 30.20, temp. 55. Two-masted steamer, southbound, at 3:30 p. m. Steamer Victoria 260 miles out at 2 p. m.

Pachena, 6 p. m.—Misty; north-west wind; sea moderate; bar, 30.03, temp. 51. No shipping.

The big liner brought 189 first-class passengers.

"MISSING" CAPTAIN IS HUNTING WHALES

Because Capt. Searle Left Without Notifying Friends Alarm Was Caused for Him

Capt. Jack Searle is not missing. He never was being so far as his concerned. He is on board the steam whaler Orion, of the Sechart station of the Pacific Whaling company, engaging in chasing mammals for the west coast factory, and owing to not announcing his departure when he took passage for the west coast many friends have been alarmed on his account. The alarm began when a paragraph was published in a local newspaper, which said:

"Captain Searle's friends are getting anxious about his absence, and inquiries are being made, but so far without result. It is thought that he and his crew have left the city and they are fearful some accident may have happened to him. The captain is well known in the city."

Meanwhile Capt. Searle was on the west coast, from where he has sent the keys of the sealing schooner Umbra, of which he resigned command to the owner.

CEYLON MARU WILL REPLACE IYO MARU

Nippon Yusen Kaisha Places Former Bomby Liner in This Service

The steamer Ceylon Maru of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha has replaced the Iyo Maru on the service across the Pacific under the Japanese line's flag, and the Iyo Maru has been transferred to the European line. The Ceylon Maru is on her way from Yokohama and is expected to arrive here next week. The steamer has been used on the Bomby route and made one previous trip to Victoria, having replaced one of the regular steamers for a trip.

The Blue Pannel line steamer Antiochus, which left Yokohama on Sunday last for this port is bringing a very heavy cargo of general freight, having in all over 9,000 tons, including 1,000 tons of general merchandise, mostly from the United Kingdom for local consignees.

The Empress of India of the C. P. R. left Yokohama also on Sunday and is bringing a full cargo, and a heavy complement of passengers.

The steamer Ella of the Jepsen line left San Francisco yesterday, completing her voyage from Panama via central American and Mexican ports to Victoria.

NORTH GERMAN LLOYD LINE IS COMING HERE

Will Invalde the Pacific Coast, Says Consul, After the Panama Canal Is Completed

"Unofficially I understand that the North German Lloyd Steamship company will invade the Pacific coast as soon as the Panama canal is completed," says Hugo Carsten, German consul at Winnipeg. "The service will be provided by a number of steamers sailing from eastern Atlantic as well as from European ports direct. Vancouver will be one of the principal ports of call; in fact, I understand that the details have already been arranged."

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PRINCESS MAY RESUMES SERVICE

C.P.R. Line Inaugurates Weekly Service to Skagway After Her Overhaul

The steamer Princess May resumed service last night when she left for Skagway and northern British Columbia ports at 11 o'clock. Since the accident in the Gulf of Georgia, when the cylinder head of her starboard engine was blown off, the steamer has been thoroughly overhauled and is now in first-class trim, and shining with new paint, while all her furnishings have been gone over and refurnished and renovated.

The trip last night inaugurated the new weekly service in which the steamer and the Princess Royal will be engaged all summer on the northern route. There was a good complement of passengers. Those booked for her included: Dr. Young, H. Hall, J. H. Bacon, F. G. Dawson, Miss Beatrice Day, Mrs. Russel and daughter, Captain Johnson, J. L. Hangi, Messrs. Costford and Plunitz, W. P. D. Pemberton, F. M. Middleton, W. J. Sutton, H. H. Clark, E. Criddle, Lieut. Emmons, Miss M. S. Johnson.

INDIANA WRECK IS ABANDONED TO BREAKERS

Dollar Steamship Company Will Dismantle Wreck of Pacific Mail Liner

All hope of saving the Pacific Mail steamer Indiana, which was wrecked near Magdalena Bay, has been abandoned, and arrangements have been made by the Board of Marine Underwriters to have the Robert Dollar Company dismantle and wreck her. Orders have been sent to the men who are guarding the Indiana to turn the vessel over to the Dollar people.

The steamer Melville Dollar will sail from San Francisco on Sunday for a scene of the wrecked ship. The Dollar Company and the Board of Underwriters will divide the salvage.

The Indiana was valued at \$200,000, and she was insured for \$150,000 in the Lloyd Underwriting Company. The insurance has been paid. With the exception of 1,000 bags of coffee, the cargo of the Indiana has been saved.

CHINESE BOYCOTT FOR RAISE OF FREIGHTS

Band Against British, French and German Steamship Companies Which Advanced Rates

The boycott is becoming popular among the Chinese, and is being used to resent an advance in freight rates made by the British, French and German steamship lines in the conference on the South China coast. The boycott began at Tonkin, according to mail advice received here, following an advance of 30 per cent. The aim of the boycott is to compel the conference to change the old rates and to set the new rates at a level which will enable the Chinese exporters to meet current outlay. It is hoped in time to lower freight rates below the figure which increase in which brought on all the trouble. The boycotters are meeting with great difficulties in charting steamers to Hongkong and Shanghai. The conference has the advantage over them in that, though freight rates in Tonkin are low, they are high in North China. Many of its steamers have forsaken Halphong, in consequence, for Chinese ports. The resulting crisis at Halphong presents a peculiar feature. Almost all the Tonkin rice export goes to Hongkong. Should the Halphong Chinese exporters stop buying rice, the trade will fall into European hands.

The syndicate for the present does not intend to make profit out of freights, and will work as economically as possible. Fair rates will be charged so as to meet current outlay. It is hoped in time to lower freight rates below the figure which increase in which brought on all the trouble. The boycotters are meeting with great difficulties in charting steamers to Hongkong and Shanghai. The conference has the advantage over them in that, though freight rates in Tonkin are low, they are high in North China. Many of its steamers have forsaken Halphong, in consequence, for Chinese ports. The resulting crisis at Halphong presents a peculiar feature. Almost all the Tonkin rice export goes to Hongkong. Should the Halphong Chinese exporters stop buying rice, the trade will fall into European hands.

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The Sooke traps of Findlay, Durham & Brodie were lifted for the first yesterday morning, and a small catch taken.

The steamer Queen of the Pacific Coast line arrived yesterday morning from the Golden Gate with a large general cargo and 245 passengers. Thirty-four passengers departed at this port, among whom were the following: J. B. Jones, D. V. Vincent, O. Olsen, J. Fleming, A. A. Kincaid, F. Hill, C. E. Matthews, J. J. Martin, A. C. Henry, G. F. Henry and wife, Mrs. E. Miles, Miss H. Miles, Capt. M. Irving, Mrs. H. Hovey, Mrs. H. Hovey, Mrs. C. Miller, Miss A. Williams, Mrs. A. Wanstock, A. McFarlan and wife, W. Baxter, J. W. Atkinson, C. De Saban, G. Lucan, F. Oestreich, O. Zennell, J. Halle, E. Peterson, W. J. Anderson, Mrs. C. E. Halgate, Capt. G. M. Clayton, and twelve second class.

Mall advices from Australia state that the British four-masted bark Clan Galbraith has been doing some smart coast sailing. The vessel was in Vancouver just two years ago loading lumber. The Clan Galbraith, Capt. S. E. Barker, made a fast trip from Melbourne to Newcastle, covering the distance in three days four and a half hours. The wind was variable and the bark's speed ran from as high as thirteen knots to as low as two. The Australian coasting record was made in the bark. The bark was built in May when the four-masted bark Stratigraphy, Capt. D. McIntyre, sailed the 1,132 miles from Adelaide to Newcastle in five and a half days. The bark sailed at from eleven to thirteen knots, a couple of tramp steamers which were sighted being left astern.

COMPARISON IN COST OF NAVIES

Interesting Comment Regarding Naval Situation Appears in Brassey's Annual

Much interesting comment regarding the naval situation is compared between Great Britain and Germany is given in the latest issue of Brassey's Naval Annual, just published. That mere expenditure counts for little as a standard because of the varying circumstances of the two powers concerned is well illustrated by Lord Brassey in his postscript. There it is shown that, whereas the pay of the men of the British fleet amounts to £3,333,000 a year in the aggregate, the Germans only pay in cash £1,533,195 to those who man their warships. The reason, of course, is not far to seek. The British is a voluntary service. Germany relies on conscription. Whatever may be the disadvantages to the community of a system of forced labor, one thing is certain—it saves immediate cost. And this being so there are a considerable number of millions in the total of the German estimates which, being saved on wages, can be diverted to other, and no doubt equally important, national needs.

After mentioning the details of the British shipbuilding program for 1909-10, the editor says, "The battleship program is not sufficient to maintain our present position as regards capital ships, and in view of the fact that the German navy is being centralized—owing to the position, geographical and political, of the empire, and the British navy is being decentralized—the cost of keeping the two fleets in commission falls much more heavily on Britain than on its neighbors. Thus it comes about that whilst the Imperial Government expends but one-quarter the total vote for the navy on new construction, the German Admiralty is able to devote about one-half its expenditure to the increase of the fleet."

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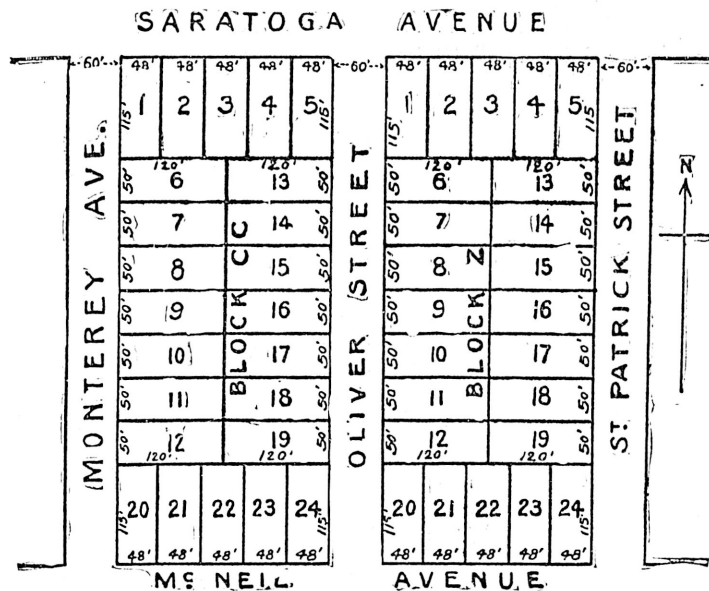
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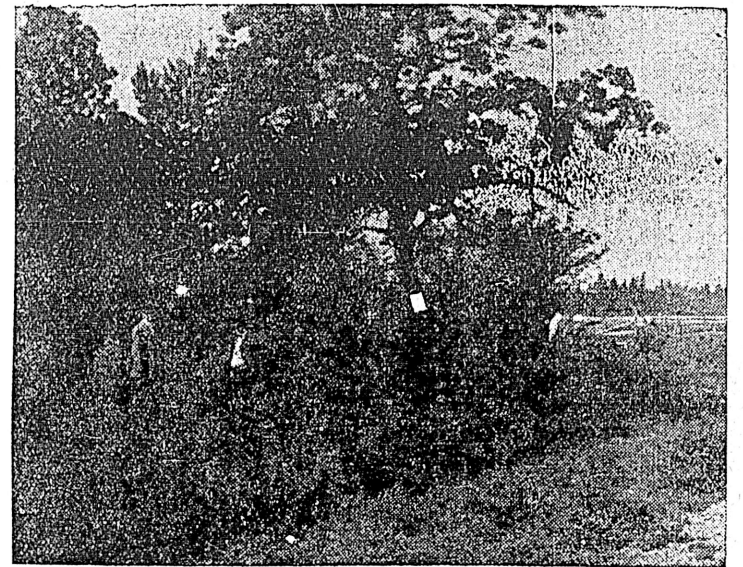
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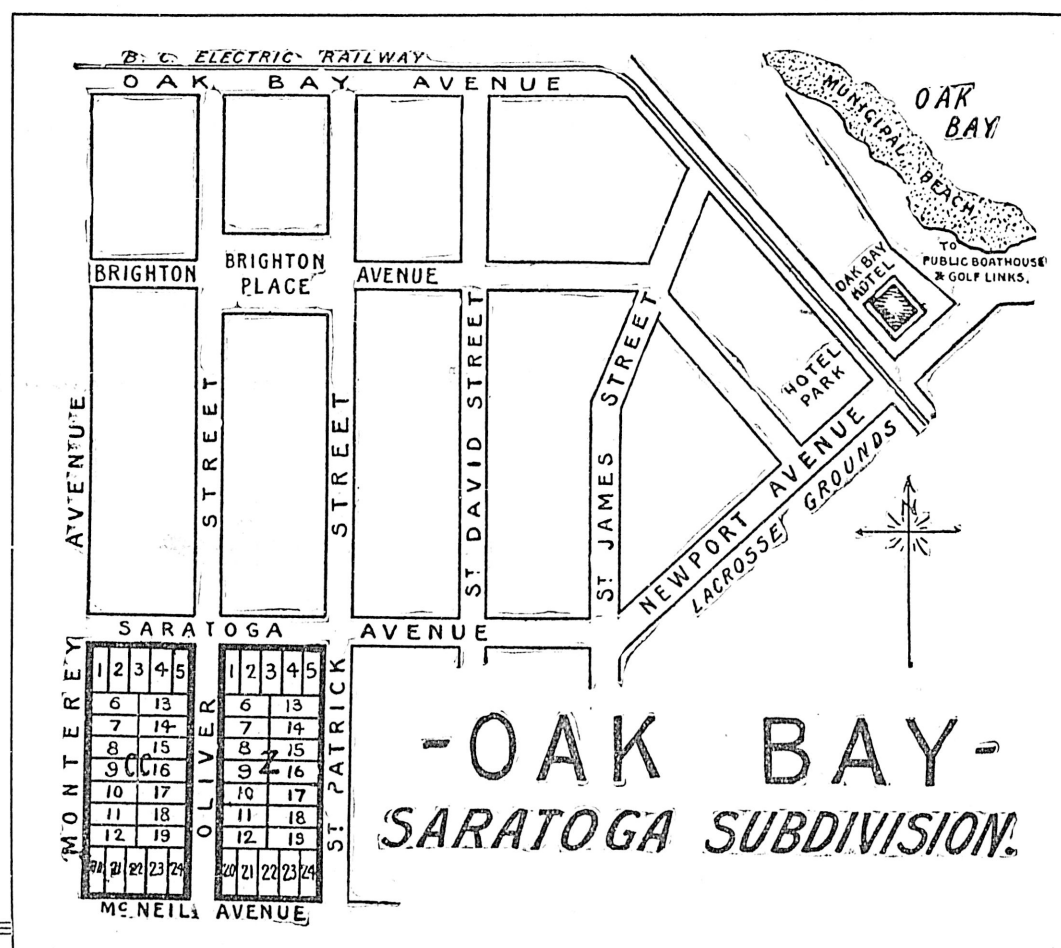
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OWNERS will build to suit tenants on corner to 2nd and 3rd streets; suitable for large residential district; suitable for drugists, grocers, etc. Reasonable terms will be given to suitable parties. Apply to the Philmy Auto Co. m27

R. S. BYRN, 1302-4 Wharf St. foot of corner to 2nd and 3rd streets; suitable for large residential district; suitable for drugists, grocers, etc. Reasonable terms will be given to suitable parties. Apply to the Philmy Auto Co. m27

HENRY E. HOWES, Psychic Medium. consultations daily. Seances Mondays and Fridays, 3 p. m. 727 View St. j1

HOUSES, cottages, etc.; contracts taken at lowest prices consistent with good workmanship; new and effective designs and estimates free. Sidney Baker, Contractor, 603 Belleville St. Phone A-1201. m23

HORSE and barber clippers to be sharpened and ground at Pichon & Lefebvre, 45 Johnson St. m22

MUSHROOMS in cellars and outhouses for profit; Barter's celebrated virgin track spawn in any quantity. Apply at Market Grounds, Madras St., end of Chamberlain St., Neato Rogers, Sole Agents in B. C. m22

NO MATTER how large or small the job is let us give you an estimate on pulling trees or stumps or house-moving. Stump-pulling for sale or removal. Ducrest, 466 Burnside Road, Phone A-1781. m22

BEDDING PLANTS in variety; also plants of cabbage, cauliflower, celery and tomato, for sale at Johnston's Seed Store, Cormorant St. m15

RUBBER TIRE BUGGY, good condition, little used, just repainted; cost \$165; sell \$75. Clark, 606 Government St. m14

C. CLINTON MERRELL, Osteopathist; 13 years experience; best of references. Room V, Imperial Hotel, Victoria, B. C. m12

HATCH CHICKENS—I will hatch your eggs in my incubator on moderate terms. W. 1017 Burdette Ave. Phone A-1400. m5

UPHOLSTERING, furniture repairing, lounges, davenport, recovered, repolished and repaired. Art Upholstering Co., Private Offices 1407 Blanchard St. m2

FRENCH DRESSMAKING—Mme. Vital, 1120 Caledonia Ave. 418

FOR SALE—Houston, tenoner, one shaper, one Smith morticer, one small dynamo, one attorney Taylor Mill Co., Ltd. 2116 Government street, P.O. Box 628. m20

FOR SALE—Buggies, delivery and farm wagons, gasoline engines, fencing, etc. B. C. Hardware Co., 610 Johnson St. j20

ANTIQUE JEWELRY, Diamonds, Engravings and Pictures bought and sold. Mrs. A. A. Aaronson, 85 Johnson street. j17

BAGGAGE promptly handled at current rates by the Victoria Transfer Co., Phone 129. Office open night and day. a8

BOATS AND LAUNCHES FOR SALE.

FOR QUICK SALE—One rowboat and bathhouse worth \$250, for \$60. 408 Hillside Ave. m30

FOR SALE—Speedy 10-horse launch. Can be seen at Hinton's bathhouse. m28

DRESSMAKING.

DRESSMAKING—The Misses Roberts, 29 Menzies St. Phone A-1727. m24

CONCRETE.

CONCRETE WORK of all description, drainage and excavating done; estimates given. H. Andrietta and H. Engelson, Bridge St., 2718. Phone 1878. m12

WANTED—TO PURCHASE.

WANTED—To purchase, South African Serp. 35 Sincro St. j1

WANTED—Laying hens and young chickens; must be cheap. Box 472, Colonist. j1

WANTED—Small place for poultry farm, Mainland or Islands, will buy or lease; must be cheap. Give full particulars with best terms. Box 339, Colonist. j1

WANTED—To buy for cash, a rubber-tired buggy in good shape, suitable for lady. Apply stating price and full description. 446, Colonist. j3

WANTED—Pure bred Berkshire or improved Yorkshire pigs; registered preferred. W. S. Oldfield, Box 406, Victoria. j3

WANTED TO BUY—Ladies' and children's left off clothing of every description. Box 444, Colonist. j2

WANTED—18-ft. launch, about 3 h. p. engine; state price and particulars to Box 264, Colonist. m26

WANTED—Scrap brass, copper, zinc, bottles and rubber; and all kinds of junk, for cash, highest cash prices paid. Victoria Junk Agency, 1620 Store street. Phone 1336. a1

WANTED—To purchase, old mahogany furniture, clocks, grandfather clocks, coins, stamps, etc. A. A. Aaronson, Johnson street. j1

COTTON RAGS wanted at the Colonist Job Department.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

WANTED—A night clerk. Apply Victoria hotel. j4

DRIVER WANTED for grocery delivery; for knowledge of town preferred; good wages paid. Apply 475, Colonist office. j1

SCHOOL TEACHERS for the Ladysmith public schools, principal and assistants; salaries ranging from \$100 down. Applications to be in by 15th June. N. A. Morrison, Secretary, School Board. j1

WANTED—Bright intelligent man to sell stock in a well known local industrial company; must be able to give bond. 471, Colonist. j4

WANTED—Two young men to milk cows and drive delivery wagon. Apply Bishop & Clark, Willows Beach. j4

WANTED—Porter and Garber at Empress Barber Shop. j4

WANTED—Four boys, at the B. C. Soap Works. j3

CYLINDER PRESS FEEDER wanted at the Colonist Job Room. j2

WANTED—A good competent man. Apply Jollard Bros., 623 Yates St. j2

MEN WANTED—Reliable men in every locality throughout Canada to advertise our goods, tack up showcards on trees, fences, bridges, and all conspicuous places, also distribute small advertising matter. Commission or salary \$82 per month and expenses. \$1 per day. Steady employment to good reliable men. No experience necessary. Write for particulars. Empire Medicine Co., London, Ont. m27

WANTED—Persons to grow mushrooms for us at home. Waste space in cellar, garden or farm can be made to yield \$15 to \$25 per week. Send for illustrated booklet and full particulars. Montreal Supply Co., Montreal, Ont. m27

ONE RELIABLE MAN wanted in every locality to take orders for best custom made clothes in Canada, highest commission. Rex Tailoring Co., Toronto.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

YOUNG LADY wants position of office work of any kind; understands book-keeping and stenography; moderate salary. Box 480, Colonist. j4

BOOKKEEPER and stenographer requires position; city references. Apply Box 402, Colonist. j1

GARDENER, experienced, wants work keeping lawns, gardens in trim, by week or month; new places a specialty. Box 23, Colonist. m28

YOUNG, strong man wants work of any description. Box 290, Colonist. m27

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

WANTED—At once general servant for family of three. Apply 1130 Summit Ave., or Telephone R-746. j1

WANTED—Immediately, young lady for office work, must be a good typewriter. Apply Simon Leiser & Co., Ltd., City. j3

WANTED—A thoroughly experienced infant's nurse, with references. Apply Mrs. N. B. Gresley, 1505 Balford St. j1

WANTED—A capable woman or girl willing to leave town to mind two children, 2 and 6; good wages. Apply 1008 Fort St. j1

WANTED—Girls, at the Gorge refreshment pavilion, Saturday nights and Sunday afternoons. Apply from 6 to 10 evenings. j3

WANTED—Girl clerk, also for ice cream department. Apply Bancroft's, Palace of Sweets. m30

WANTED—A girl for light housework. Apply 830 Princess Ave. m12

SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE.

YOUNG PARISIAN LADY who speaks English desires situation as companion, travelling; references. Answer care Box 1241, Vancouver, B. C. j1

WANTED—Plain sewing, repairing, cleaning and pressing. Apply 838 North Park St. m12

WANTED—Daily dressmaking. Apply 596 John St. a25

WANTED TO RENT.

ROOM AND BOARD wanted by gentleman, adjacent to E. and N. railway. Victoria West. Box 465, Colonist. j1

WANTED—To lease or rent, furnished or unfurnished house. Apply Box 456, Colonist. j3

TO RENT.

STORE FOR RENT on Yates St., recently occupied by Rochdale Co-operative Grocery. Apply to Dr. Fraser, upstairs. j3

GOOD RESTAURANT to rent, everything in working order. Apply Queen's Hotel. j3

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS.

TO RENT—Comfortable furnished bedroom, near Jubilee hospital. Box 479, Colonist. j1

FURNISHED ROOMS to rent. Apply 719 Hillside Ave., on Douglas St. car line. j3

TO LET—Two furnished bedrooms, new house, 519 Rithet St., near car and beach. j2

TO LET—Furnished housekeeping rooms. 721 Humboldt St. j2

TO LET—Furnished rooms; \$2.00 per week. 718 Johnson St. j1

TO LET—Furnished rooms. 913 Fort St. j1

TO LET—Furnished housekeeping and single rooms. Prince Rupert House, Bastion Square. m30

JAMES BAY—First-class furnished rooms, large house, close sea, car, park; ten minutes walk postoffice; "Beachcroft," Boyd St., Phone L-615. j1

LARGE, comfortable furnished rooms, with use of kitchen. 1189 Yates St. Phone B-185. m20

FURNISHED ROOMS: use of kitchen if desired. 1017 Burdette Ave. 1st floor past Vancouver. Phone L-1400. m28

FURNISHED ROOM by day or week at The Cecil, Nos. 839 and 841 Pandora street. m28

TO LET—Furnished room, modern, car, 328 Menzies. m22

TO LET—Furnished rooms, 1305 Fort St., corner Moss. Phone 1143. j1

TO LET—Housekeeping rooms, 1024 Vancouver street. m7

TO LET—One or two furnished rooms, new house, Apply 318 Vancouver St. m9

TO LET—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

TO LET—Three unfurnished rooms, 87 Fort St. m22

TO LET—Two unfurnished rooms near Beacon Hill park, car and sea. 200, Colclust. m22

ROOM AND BOARD.

THE "ABERDEEN," 739 Yates, 2 doors from "Douglas," first-class residence and transient private hotel; dining-room unexcelled; table board. For particulars apply in person. m30

JAMES BAY—Comfortable rooms with board in large house, garden, close to sea, park and car. Beachcroft, Boyd St., Phone L-615. j3

TO LET—Room and board, 1058 Esplanade St. m20

TABLE BOARD can be had at the Poplars (Facing Empress hotel); at moderate charges. Phone A-1201. j2

ROOMS AND BOARD in comfortable country home by the sea, bath, phone, etc., tennis court, also furnished cottage. Cosy Corner Tea Rooms. m27

BOARD AND ROOM, piano, telephone and good garden. Apply "Saxophone" 517 Government St. m26

THE HOLLIES—757 Courtney St. (late Rae) room and board, also table board. A-1616, Miss Hall. m18

BOARDS WANTED—314 St. Charles St. m11

ROOMS AND BOARD, quiet, pleasant house, 5 minutes' walk from postoffice. 1017 Burdette Ave. Phone A-1400. m11

TO LET—RESIDENCES.

TO LET—Modern seven-roomed house. Apply 85 Dallas Road. j1

RENT \$18 PER MONTH—New house, Douglas Road, one minute from Gorge car, 7 rooms, bath, electric light, good basement; or would sell on terms. Brown, 905 Hereward Road, Victoria West. m30

TO RENT—New 5-room cottage, 1911 Maple street, near Fort street car, basement, sewer, electric light, new range, linoleum and carpet. \$35. Apply Frank W. Grant, care of David Spencer, Ltd. m30

TO LET—Large ten-room house on Rockland avenue, near Linden; 3 minutes from car line; all modern conveniences. Apply Burgess, University School, Mount Tolmie. a17

TO LET—FURNISHED HOMES.

WE WANT TO RENT 10-roomed furnished house, near water, from July 1st. Apply Green & Burdick Bros., 913 Government St. j1

TO LET—Two furnished cottages on Dallas Road. Apply Mrs. M. H. Smith, Seaview, 194 Dallas Road. j2

TO RENT—A large residence, fully furnished, during the summer months; reasonable rent to reliable tenant. 401 Colonist. j1

TO RENT—Well furnished 7-roomed house, modern conveniences; terms moderate. Apply 461 Superior St. m30

TO RENT—Furnished and unfurnished houses. Call for list. E. A. Harris, 615 Fort St. m27

TO RENT—From 1st June, furnished house, 5 rooms; 411 Princess St., off Michie St., James Bay. Apply 22 Humboldt, City. m26

FOR SALE—RESIDENCES.

YOU'LL LIKE THIS HOUSE—Brand new, artistic, 5-room bungalow, built on beautiful building, everything modern; worth \$3,800; will sell for \$3,400; only \$500 down. Apply Owner, P. O. Box 108. j1

FOR SALE or rent; new six-roomed house; quiet situation, near car line. Vacant lots. Furnished cottage on Esplanade Lake. Reade, Oak Bay. m30

FOR SALE—Large lot, two story building, all in excellent condition, James Bay; large lot on Fairfield Road; also one on Esquimalt Road. Apply Owner, P. O. Box 34. m21

LOTS FOR SALE.

LOT on Mayfield Ave., off Government St., \$1000; only \$300 cash. This is worth your attention. 338, Colonist. m21

FOR SALE—Oak Bay Ave., corner Hampshire Road, two lots, cheap, or will exchange for Nanaimo property. H. Freeman, Nanaimo. j3

LOT on Mayfield Ave., off Government St., \$1000; only \$300 cash. This is worth your attention. 338, Colonist. j1

FOR SALE—Corner lot, 65x120, 5-room house and furniture; James Bay; \$2,500; one-third down. Apply 572 Johnson St. m20

FARMS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Farm of 20 acres with lake frontage, near Duncans, 15 acres in crop, balance seeded to grass, orchard, modern house and necessary buildings; apply Green and Co. For price and terms Owner, Box 234, Duncans. m18

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE—Going concern. The City Restaurant, Victoria, and excellent business, will be sold at a very reasonable figure; owner has other business; cash or terms. Apply to proprietor at the Restaurant. j3

\$900 TAKES half interest in good paying business. Apply Colonist office. Box 415. j2

FOR SALE—Cheap, confectionery store, 331, Colonist. j1

FOR SALE or for rent, a small rooming house in good locality. Apply Colonist office, Box 334. m30

POULTRY AND LIVE STOCK.

FOR SALE—Well-bred driving mare, C. J. McKee, Cedar Hill Road. j2

FOR SALE—Fancy stock of White Wy-andottes, Columbia Wyandottes, Black Minorcas and Black Orpingtons, at \$1.50 each; roosters \$2.00 each; chickens from 25 cents up. Apply Schroeder's Grocery, Phone 636, 300 Menzies St. m23

FOR SALE—Cheap, 14 head of purebred Shortorns. Apply D. Evans, Kok-silah, B. C. m22

HIGHEST QUALITY of thoroughbred poultry. My white Plymouth Rocks are great layers; snow white, rich yellow legs and back large and beautiful; my Barred P. Rocks, S. C. B. Minorcas, Light Brahmas and White Leghorns are strictly first-class; eggs for balance of the season \$1.00 for 15. Come quick if you want something fine. Dr. J. B. Pearly, Mount Tolmie, B. C. m6

FOR SALE—200 White Leghorn chicks, 3 to 8 weeks old, 30 to 50 cents each. Eggs for hatching \$1.00 per setting. Address Mrs. Van Arum, Mt. Tolmie Road, near hospital. m11

WANTED—TO EXCHANGE.

WILL EXCHANGE a good farm in Manitoba for city property; price \$3,000; clear title. Address 3030 Quadra St., Victoria, B. C. j2

THE STUART ROBERTSON CO

Limited,
1112 Broad Street.

FOR SALE—Residences in all parts of the city. Farms on Vancouver Island. Good greenhouse business. Ten acres in Strawberry Vale, fenced and planted, for \$200. Twenty-five acres with fine bungalow, overlooking Elk Lake, 170 acres on Cowichan Lake for \$30 an acre. 100 acres in Saanich at \$30.

TO LET—Two cottages at Cordova Bay for summer season.

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Real Estate. Phone A-352.

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612 Trowace Ave.

\$870—Dunedin St. choice building lots. \$650—Lots on Garbally Road. \$600—Nice corner lot, Frances Ave. \$1000—Modern house and full sized lot on Haywood Ave., house fitted with electric light, hot and cold water, sewer connections, furnishing, etc., a bargain; owner leaving the city.

\$2250—Seven acres at Gordon Head, well suited for fruit growing, splendid view of the water.

\$2100—Seven-roomed house on Tennyson Road with a large lot in orchard, cheap; terms to arrange.

\$760—Two lots, corner of Whittier Ave. and Colduthel St.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Palm glasses, marked Elliott. W. A. Hills, Metropolitan Bldg. j4

LOST—A lady's gold watch, hunting case, with fob attached. Reward at 131 Clarence St. j3

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM HENRY ADAMS, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the "Trustees and Executors Act" that all creditors of the estate of the deceased are required to file their claims by the 31st day of July, A. D. 1909, to send particulars of their claims duly verified to the undersigned solicitors for Stroud L. Redgrave and John F. Switzer, executors of the said estate, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to the undersigned forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 2nd day of June, A. D. 1909.

ELLIOTT & SHANDLEY,
Law Chambers, Victoria, B. C.

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

The Hudson's Bay company hereby gives notice that one month from date hereof they will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at Victoria, for a renewal of their license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as The Hudson's Bay House, situated at Telegraph Creek, in the District of Atlin.

(Signed) **THE HUDSON'S BAY CO.**
Per JAS. THOMSON, Mgr.
Dated this 14th day of May, 1909.

Write for affidavit, of Kootenay Brown, whom Dr. Dawson employed to perjure him around while locating Alberta oil. Facts pumping well. Its free. No. 740.

THE PINCHER CREEK OIL CO.,
Pincher Creek, Alberta.

Steam Fire Engine

Tenders sealed and endorsed. Tenders for Steam Fire Engine will be received up to 4 p. m. Monday, June the 14th, 1909, for one engine of capacity of 700 imperial gallons per minute with all necessary suction hose and other compliances complete, and to be up to all requirements required of an engine of this class. Payments will be made on the above on satisfactory tests made by the chief of the fire department. The engine to be drawn by horses. Also one motor driven fire engine of the same capacity as above. The parties tendering will furnish specifications and cuts of the proposed steamer in each case, and state price delivered at the Headquarters Fire Department on Cormorant street, Victoria, B. C., also state time of delivery.

Tenders to be sent to the undersigned. The council reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, June 1st.

Court House, Fernie.

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for Court House, Fernie, B. C.," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Wednesday, the 9th day of June, 1909, for the erection and completion of a concrete and brick Court House at Fernie, B. C.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equivalent to ten per cent of the amount of the tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenders will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed by the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
Public Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., May 4th, 1909. m38

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that the following lots, situated in Cariboo district, are reserved from alienation under the Land Act, except by pre-emption: Lots 1, 470, 1,316, 1,327, 1,425, 1,426, 1,429, 1,432, 1,433, 1,434, 1,435, 1,436, 1,437, 1,438, 1,439, 1,440, 1,441, 1,442, 1,443, 1,444, 1,445, 1,446, 1,447, 1,448, 1,449, 1,450, 1,451, 1,452, 1,453, 1,454, 1,455, 1,456, 1,457, 1,458, 1,459, 1,460, 1,461, 1,462, 1,463, 1,464, 1,465, 1,466, 1,467, 1,468, 1,469, 1,470, 1,471, 1,472, 1,473, 1,474, 1,475, 1,476, 1,477, 1,478, 1,479, 1,480, 1,481, 1,482, 1,483, 1,484, 1,485, 1,486, 1,487, 1,488, 1,489, 1,490, 1,491, 1,492, 1,493, 1,494, 1,495, 1,496, 1,497, 1,498, 1,499, 1,500, 1,501, 1,502, 1,503, 1,504, 1,505, 1,506, 1,507, 1,508, 1,509, 1,510, 1,511, 1,512, 1,513, 1,514, 1,515, 1,516, 1,517, 1,518, 1,519, 1,520, 1,521, 1,522, 1,523, 1,524, 1,525, 1,526, 1,527, 1,528, 1,529, 1,530, 1,531, 1,532, 1,533, 1,534, 1,535, 1,536, 1,537, 1,538, 1,539, 1,540, 1,541, 1,542, 1,543, 1

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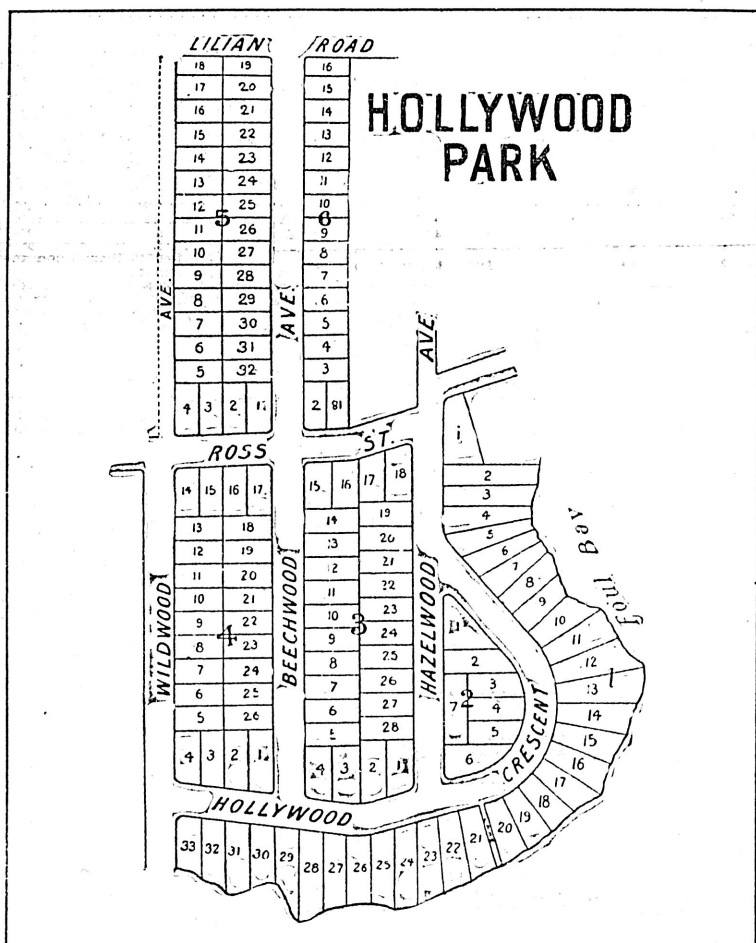
After July 1st these premises will be cleared of old Buildings and Fences and the erection of new and beautiful Houses will be commenced.

Everything will be new, clean and up-to-date. A building restriction of \$2,000 is placed on all lots. This places Homes in Hollywood within reach of all, yet it insures the man of taste of no objectionable surroundings.

We have been more than pleased at the way the lots in Hollywood have sold. It only goes to prove conclusively that when the Public of Victoria are offered a good thing, they are always ready to take it.

Remember, you have your own Beach and your own Water Frontage, and the finest view in the world.

Everyone who buys now before the advance will make money.



Terms Quarter Cash, balance 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21 and 24 months

PRICES BLOCK ONE—Water-frontage—Beautiful Beach	
Lots 3 to 7, inclusive.....	\$1500
Lots 9 to 11.....	\$1400
Lots 16 to 29.....	\$1000
BLOCK TWO	
Lot 1.....	\$800
Lot 2.....	\$750
Balance.....	\$650
PRICES BLOCK THREE	
Lot 15.....	\$500
Lot 16.....	\$450
Lots 6 to 13, inclusive.....	\$500
PRICES BLOCK FOUR	
Lot 5.....	\$350
Lot 4, Corner.....	\$500
Lot 3.....	\$525
Balance sold.....	
PRICES BLOCK FIVE	
Lots 11 to 18, inclusive.....	\$350
Lots 26 to 32, inclusive.....	\$350
Balance sold.....	
BLOCK SIX ALL SOLD	

City Water laid on the premises. Street Cars at your Door. At these prices and terms the humblest wage-earner in the City can afford to buy and hold for the advance. Come in and see us. We will be glad to show you. Mrs. Kelly, on the premises, is also an Agent, and will be glad to show the property.

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Two good snaps in New Residences on the Monthly Plan.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	
	Closing
Amal. Copper.....	87 1/2
Am. Car. Fdy.....	57 1/2
do pfd.....	110 1/2
Am. Oil.....	37 1/2
Amer. Ice.....	37 1/2
Amer. Loco.....	61 1/2
do pfd.....	110 1/2
Amer. Smelt.....	97 1/2
do pfd.....	114 1/2
Amer. Sugar.....	133 1/2
Amer. Woolen.....	36 1/2
do pfd.....	106 1/2
Atchafalpa.....	51 1/2
B. and O.....	111 1/2
B. R. T.....	82 1/2
C. P. R.....	185 1/2
C. and O.....	78 1/2
C. and A.....	70 1/2
C. and G. W.....	4 1/2
do pfd.....	24 1/2
C. and N. W.....	182 1/2
C. M. and S. P.....	164 1/2
do pfd.....	187 1/2
Cent. Leather.....	29 1/2
do pfd.....	104 1/2
C. P. and I.....	43 1/2
Colo. Southern.....	63 1/2
do 1st pfd.....	81 1/2
do 2nd pfd.....	80 1/2
Con. Gas.....	145 1/2
Corn Products.....	26 1/2
do pfd.....	25 1/2
D. and H.....	194 1/2
Erie.....	36 1/2
do 1st pfd.....	52 1/2
do 2nd pfd.....	42 1/2
Gt. Nor. Ore. Cts.....	76 1/2
Gt. Nor. pfd.....	149 1/2
Illinois Cent.....	149 1/2
Inter-Met.....	17 1/2
do pfd.....	41 1/2
Int. Paper.....	15 1/2
Iowa.....	62 1/2
Iowa Central.....	31 1/2
do pfd.....	57 1/2
L. and N.....	140 1/2
Mackay.....	81 1/2
Mexican Cent.....	24 1/2
M. S. P. S. S. M.....	141 1/2
M. K. and T.....	43 1/2
do pfd.....	72 1/2
Missouri Pac.....	77 1/2
Nat. Lead.....	88 1/2
Newhouse.....	88 1/2
N. Y. Central.....	134 1/2
N. Y. O. and W.....	52 1/2
N. and W.....	91 1/2
Northern Pac.....	150 1/2
Pacific Mail.....	30 1/2
Pennsyl. Road.....	138 1/2
Peoples Gas.....	114 1/2
Pressed Steel.....	104 1/2
Reading.....	157 1/2
Rep. Steel.....	32 1/2
do pfd.....	104 1/2
Rock Island.....	38 1/2
do pfd.....	70 1/2
Sloss Steel.....	81 1/2
Southern Pac.....	133 1/2
do pfd.....	132 1/2
Tenn. Copper.....	42 1/2
Texas Pac.....	36 1/2
Third Ave.....	30 1/2
Union Pac.....	191 1/2
U. S. Steel.....	67 1/2
do pfd.....	128 1/2
Utah Copper.....	53 1/2
Virginia Chem.....	52 1/2
do pfd.....	121 1/2
Wabash.....	21 1/2
do pfd.....	21 1/2
Western Union.....	74 1/2
Westinghouse.....	84 1/2
Wisconsin Cent.....	59 1/2
do pfd.....	90 1/2
Hocking Coal.....	63 1/2
Beet Sugar.....	39 1/2
K. C. Southern.....	47 1/2
Southern Ry.....	31 1/2
West. Maryland.....	21 1/2

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	
	Closing
Wheat—	
July.....	119 1/2
Sept.....	119 1/2
Dec.....	119 1/2
Corn—	
July.....	73 1/2
Sept.....	69 1/2
Dec.....	58 1/2
Oats—	
July.....	54 1/2
Sept.....	44 1/2
Dec.....	44 1/2
Pork—	
July.....	19.95
Sept.....	20.00
Lard—	
July.....	11.35
Sept.....	11.15
Oct.....	11.15
Short Ribs—	
July.....	10.62
Sept.....	10.65

BOSTON COPPER MARKET.

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	Closing
Stock—	
Adventure.....	88 1/2
Allouez.....	40 1/2
Arcadian.....	40 1/2
Atlantic.....	15 1/2
Boston Cons.....	26 1/2
Butte Coalition.....	26 1/2
Black Mountain.....	103 1/2
Centennial.....	84 1/2
Copper Range.....	81 1/2
Cumberland-Ely.....	85 1/2
Daly-West.....	87 1/2
Davis-Daly.....	87 1/2
East Butte.....	13 1/2
First National.....	106 1/2
Granby Copper.....	106 1/2
Globe Cons.....	104 1/2
Greene Cananea.....	105 1/2
Hancock.....	11 1/2
Isle Royale.....	27 1/2
Keweenaw.....	101 1/2
Lake.....	25 1/2
La Salle.....	14 1/2
Mass.....	14 1/2
Miami.....	15 1/2
Mohawk.....	66 1/2
Nevada-Utah.....	92 1/2
Nipissing.....	13 1/2
Nevada Cons.....	22 1/2
North Butte.....	56 1/2
Osceola Copper.....	136 1/2
Old Dominion.....	54 1/2
Parrot Mining.....	35 1/2
Quincy Copper.....	93 1/2
Shannon Copper.....	15 1/2
Superior and Pittsburg.....	14 1/2
Superior and Boston.....	17 1/2
Tamarack.....	72 1/2
Trinity West.....	12 1/2
Victoria.....	65 1/2
United Copper.....	99 1/2
U. S. Smelt. and Ref.....	50 1/2
do pfd.....	49 1/2
Utah Consolidated.....	43 1/2
Utah Copper.....	52 1/2
Winona.....	66 1/2
Wolverine.....	148 1/2

VANCOUVER STOCK EXCHANGE.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	
	Closing
Stock—	
Alberta Canadian Oil.....	10 1/2
Alberta Coal and Coke.....	65 1/2
Burton Saw Works.....	73 1/2
Int. Coal and Coke.....	73 1/2
Portland Canal.....	180 1/2
Western Coal and Coke.....	180 1/2
Amer. Canadian Oil.....	85 1/2
B. C. Copper Co.....	07 1/2
B. C. Packers pfd.....	96 1/2
B. C. Packers com.....	35 1/2
B. C. Permanent Loan.....	123 1/2
B. C. Pulp and Paper.....	62 1/2
B. C. Trust Corp.....	62 1/2
Canadian Con. S. and R.....	184 1/2
Caribou Camp M.E.K.....	01 1/2
Diamond Vale Coal.....	08 1/2
Domestic Trust.....	97 1/2
Gt. West Permanent.....	107 1/2
Granby.....	106 1/2
Northern Crown Bank.....	82 1/2
Pacific Whaling.....	66 1/2
Rambler Caribou.....	12 1/2
Royal Collieries.....	25 1/2
Scrip.....	510 1/2
SALES—Int. C. and C.....	500 at 73 1/2
Portland Canal, 1060 at 9.....	
B. C. Packers, 50 at 54; 50 at 35.....	

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	
	Closing
Option—	
Jan.....	10.82
Feb.....	10.82
Mar.....	10.82
Apr.....	10.82
May.....	10.82
June.....	10.82
July.....	10.82
Aug.....	10.82
Sept.....	10.82
Oct.....	10.82
Nov.....	10.82
Dec.....	10.82

Hill Gets a Summons

Spokane, Wash., June 4.—Jas. J. Hill, chairman of the Great Northern Board of Directors, while passing through Spokane last night was served with a subpoena summoning him to appear in the case of M. J. Gordon, former counsel of the Great Northern, against whom several indictments for embezzlement have been brought.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN.

OSBORNE—At the residence of Capt. H. Smith, Dalhousie, on June 4th, to the wife of Danvers Osborne, of Banfield Creek, a son.

DIED.

ROBERTSON—George Robertson, of No. 44 Simcoe street, aged 39 years and a native of Scotland. The funeral will take place under the auspices of the Masonic Order, on Saturday, at 2:30 p. m., from the Hanna chapel, Yates street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too Late to Classify)

FOR SALE—Fine Italian bees.

Nursery, Carey Road. \$5

BAGGAGE—Best Equipment for Handling baggage to and from steamers in the city; open day and night. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. \$12

TO LET—Nicely furnished front room with board. Apply 1010 Yates St. \$5

TRUCKS AND DRAYS—Open day and night. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. \$12

FOR SALE—Cow, just calved. Apply 1676 Fairfield Road. \$5

FURNITURE TRUCKS—\$1.50 per hour. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. \$12

FOR SALE—Two fresh cows; one driving horse. H. Walker, Delta St. off Burnside Road. \$5

TO LET—Furnished cottage, sea front, 6 rooms, modern conveniences. Phipps, Oak Bay. \$5

SOCIALIST MEETING—Sunday, June 6, at 8 p. m., at Socialists' Headquarters, over Dixie Ross store, Government St. Good speakers. Questions and discussion. Everybody invited. \$5

WANTED—Today, an experienced real estate man. Address replies stating experience and qualifications before noon to 505, Colonist office. \$5

FOR SALE—The largest and best paying wall paper and decorating business in a city of 30,000, which in ten years will be 50,000. The store is 25x120, with basement, fronting on best business street; good lease; trade is high and the man of experience has an excellent opportunity to make money; wages paid for March almost \$3,000. (Never touch new work); business is in perfect running order; a money maker from the moment you take the key; have made enough to take a rest. See Bradstreet's for 1905 rating. Address "Foster's," 555 Granville St., Vancouver, B. C. \$5

FOR SALE—Near Prince Rupert, 200 acres, half mile water front; 640 acres on Stephen Island, 16 miles from Prince Rupert, gravel beach, D. S. Clarke Co., 604 Pender St. W., Vancouver, B. C. \$5

LIVERY STABLE—Best equipped service in the city. Good horses and bugles. 125, Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. \$12

TO LET—Furnished, two bedrooms with use of parlor, dining room and kitchen; all modern conveniences. 270 Quebec, between 4 and 5 p. m. \$5

WANTED TO RENT—For July and August, furnished house in the neighborhood of Gorge, for Calgary client. H. S. Lott, 35 Board of Trade building. \$5

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FOR SALE—Six miles out, 5 acres, 4 cultivated, 3-room cottage, stable, 1150; half cash. Apply Box 494, Colonist. \$5

TO RENT—Furnished, new and modern bungalow, 16 Menzies St. \$5

WANTED—By woman aged 29, position as mother's help, willing to assist with cooking. 499, Colonist. \$5

LOST—On Monday last, a silver bracelet with heart-shaped handle attached; no value to owner as a keepsake. Reward, 488, Colonist. \$5

FOR SALE—Strong delivery wagon; for quick sale \$15. 214 St. Charles St. \$5

HORSE FOR SALE—Sound, good traveler; suitable for driving or light delivery. Apply 2609 Third St. \$5

TO RENT—7-roomed house and barn. Apply 1274 North Road. \$5

WANT TO RENT—Store, either Government, Fort Douglas or Yates; first-class business. Address 487, Colonist. \$5

TO LET—Suite of rooms; 815 Gordon street. \$5

TO LET—Furnished rooms with use of bath. Apply 224 Montreal St. \$5

WANTED—Party with low phaseton or buggy to take out two or three times a week. 313, Colonist. \$5

FOR SALE—Fully protected Canadian patent to run fourteen years \$6,000; 600,000 in use; other countries over 1500 first prizes; profits should exceed \$250 week easy. Full particulars "Surgam," Box 74, P. O. Victoria. \$5

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WANTED—Position as cook, house-keeper to elderly couple; age 29. Box 500, Colonist. \$5

PARCEL DELIVERY—Parcels called for and delivered to any part of the city for 10c. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. \$12

WANTED—A lot, with or without a building, situated between Quadra St. and Government St., and between Caledonia Ave. and Humboldt St. Give size, price and conditions of sale, also locality and house number if any. Address Christian Siltz, Box 302, City. \$5

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SIX-ROOM HOUSE—The interior recently decorated; close to car and school; hot and cold water, bath, etc. A splendid buy for \$1700. As an investment would yield at least 12 per cent. Apply to owner on premises, 778 Hill street. \$5

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CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Tolmie, Mrs. Neill, Mrs. W. Milby and Mrs. Z. Humber wish to thank their many friends for their kind sympathy in their late bereavement through the loss of their son and brother, John Henry Tolmie.

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2000 Royal Collieries.....	.27 1/2
80 Western Oil and Coal.....	2.00

DIRECT PRIVATE WIRES.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

North Dairy Farm School.

Sealed tenders, superscribed "Tender for the North Dairy Farm School," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Wednesday, the 30th day of June, 1909, for the erection and completion of a two-roomed schoolhouse, situated near the pumping station on the Quadra street extension, in the Saanich municipality.

Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen and after the 7th day of June, 1909, at the offices of W. Campbell, Esq., secretary of the School Board, Royal Oak; and at the Public Works Department, Victoria, B. C.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equivalent to ten per cent. of the amount of the tenders, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

The lowest or any tenderer not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE, Public Works Engineer, Department of Public Works, Victoria, B. C., June 2nd, 1909.

VANCOUVER ISLAND BUILDING SOCIETY.

Notice is hereby given that by order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Irving this day made, William Sawcort, one of the inspectors and directors of the Vancouver Island Building Society (in voluntary liquidation), was appointed liquidator of the said society, and of Charles Stuart Baxter resigned, unless cause be shown to the contrary by any member, or other person affected, at the sitting of the Judge in Chambers at the Law Courts, Bastion Square, in the City of Victoria,



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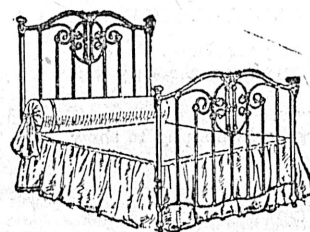
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